Obituaries, Page 2A

Calendar, Page 2A

OMNI BANK
BANK WITH YOUR FRIENDLY HOMETOWN BANK
5111 Highway 111, Pontoon Beach, IL. 3830 Nameoki Rd., Granite City, IL
MEMBER F.D.I.C.

Cake and coffee gives pleasure in any language.
Food, Page 1C



HEAT WAVE ALERT!
McFarland Heating & Cooling
451-1512
Carrier
We're The Inside Guy!

Granite City Journal
SUBURBAN JOURNALS - #1 IN WEEKDAY READERSHIP WITH OVER 1.4 MILLION READERS
BROOKLYN • GRANITE CITY • MADISON • MITCHELL • PONTOON BEACH • VENICE
VOLUME 21, NUMBER 9 WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 29, 1997 FIFTY CENTS

County looks at retirement costs

Madison County's departments of public health, mental health and 911 may have to find extra money in their budgets to pay for retirement costs.

The County Board's Finance Committee, in a move designed to recoup costs for other needs, voted to make the three departments pay their own employees' retirement fund costs.

Previously, the retirement costs for those departments were being taken from the county's Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund, officials said.

The change in policy could cost the 911 system and the other two departments a combined $100,000, for which the departments have not budgeted.

"The county incurs costs anytime we work with those departments," said Bill Little of Alton, chairman of the finance committee. "It gets to the point we're incurring all their expenses."

The three departments are part of county government, but are funded by separate tax levies, as are many other functions.

Looking down the road, it is conceivable that the move could force the three departments to raise taxes.

Illinois Attorney General Jim Ryan, responding to a query, issued an opinion saying it is legal to force the departments to pay retirement costs themselves.

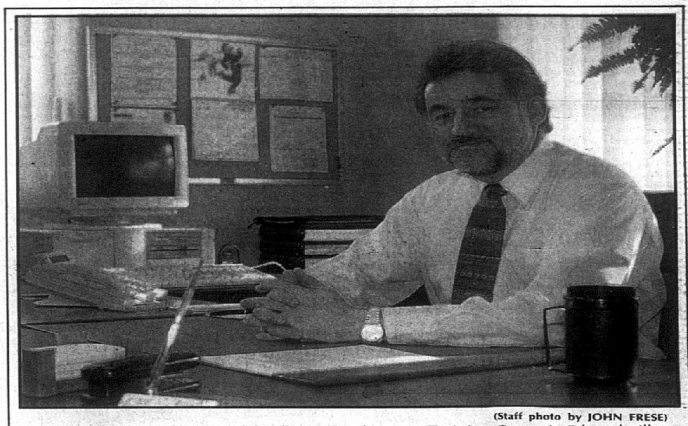
> 'The county incurs costs anytime we work with those departments. It gets to the point we're incurring all their expenses.'
> — Bill Little

Rich Hampton, chief deputy auditor, said the impact on the departments' budgets according to last year's figures would be: $27,600 for 911; $32,200 for the health department; and $7,360 for the mental health department.

Hampton said that the health department's burden has almost doubled recently because of growth in staff.

The Finance Committee also refused to expand the budget of Chief Circuit Judge Nicholas Byron to pay for recent increases in the salaries for the Jury Commission.

— From The Telegraph



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)
William Hanke is director of the Illinois Employment Training Center in Edwardsville.

Hanke keeps a handle on county's job market

Profile

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

William Hanke knows firsthand that determination plays a big role in landing a job.

After he graduated from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville in 1974, Hanke heard about federal "planning grants" being issued to local counties for a new employment program. Hanke applied at the Belleville office where he was told one would be opening soon in Madison County.

"I applied until they hired me," said Hanke of Collinsville.

Today, Hanke is director of the Illinois Employment Training Center in Edwardsville. He took over the duties of director last June after the retirement of Dan Churovich and officially assumed the title Dec. 18.

For qualifying residents, the agency — administered locally as a Madison County department — provides job counseling, education and job search assistance.

Hanke said IETC helps retrain workers who have been laid off, gives 500 youths job skills through its summer work program and provides training at local community colleges for those who may need it to make them employable.

Hanke said Madison County's low unemployment rate (4.9 percent in November) is an indicator of a strong and stable local economy.

"There's a lot of job opportunities out there," Hanke said. "Unfortunately, a lot of those opportunities are low income. We try to give skills for our clients to earn a living wage, a wage higher than the minimum wage."

There are 47 IETC centers throughout the state, and Madison County has four other locations in addition to its Edwardsville administrative office: Alton, Granite City, Glen Carbon and Greenville.

Those offices are manned by a total staff of 25, which is one of the reasons the center isn't able to help everyone.

Locations are central to bus routes and interstates to assist those with transportation problems. The program can buy textbooks, uniforms or even tools for its participants, but it doesn't provide services like child care.

"We have to make priorities because our resources are limited," Hanke said. "We're only funded at a level to meet 5 to 6 percent of the need."

(See HANKE, Page 3A)

Wal-Mart hometown award

Dempsey, Adams cited

Jack Dempsey and Don Adams began their business in 1955 from a small Quonset hut located in downtown Granite City.

Funded by a $2,000 loan, they set out to repair auto glass and build commercial and industrial fence.

Today, their multi-million dollar operation is still located in downtown Granite City, employing more than 50 workers.

Dempsey and Adams were recently selected to receive the Sam Walton Business Leader Award sponsored by the Sam Walton Foundation.

The Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce received a $500 grant in the names of Dempsey and Adams.

Wal-Mart established the Sam Walton Business Leader Award to recognize local business people who best exemplify the principles of Sam Walton, its late founder.

"The Sam Walton Leader Award is our way of celebrating outstanding local business men and women and showing our pride in our local business community," said David Glass, president and chief executive officer of Wal-Mart Stores Inc.

"Sam built his business on three principles:

(See Award, Page 3A)

Achievement nominations sought

Women of Achievement award nominations are due by 5 p.m. Friday.

The Women of Achievement awards are co-sponsored by the Suburban Journals and radio station KMOX-AM (1120).

Ten women have been selected for the award each year since 1955. Women of Achievement is the oldest ongoing program in the area whose sole purpose is to recognize the commitment and dedication of women.

A committee of community leaders and former Women of Achievement award recipients will select the 1997 honorees, who will be honored at a May luncheon.

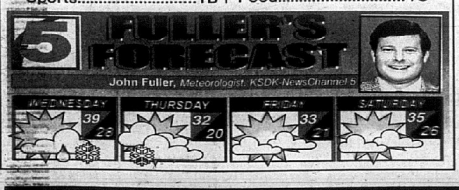
Completed nomination forms must be returned to: Women of Achievement Nominations, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo., 63131.

Women of Achievement

In the Journal

Index

Horoscope	10B	Calendar	2A
Local news	3A	Classified	5D
Obituaries	2A	Family	5B
Sports	1B	Food	1C



Weather worries area fruit growers

BRUSSELS — Fruit growers are worried that another arctic freeze this winter could wipe out the peach crop for the second year in a row.

Growers in Calhoun, Jersey, Macoupin and Madison counties inspected their dormant peach buds this week and found damage from the 5-degree-below zero chill a week ago.

But despite the Jan. 17 deep freeze, growers are optimistic that there may be a full crop this summer. "We may have lost 10 percent of the peach buds but we're still looking for a good crop," said Kenneth Hagen, who has grown peaches and apples in Brussels for 40 years.

Peach producer Roy Jacobs said he doesn't know what effect the freeze had on his 60 acres of trees. "It's too early to tell the extent of damage," he said.

Growers are fearful that a hard freeze in February, when peach buds are more vulnerable, could wipe out the peach crop for a third time in the last five years.

"It's been hit-and-miss for the peach orchard business in the last few years," Jacobs said.

Thousands of peach trees died in the cold winter of 1991 and fruit farmers lost millions of dollars in peaches in 1994 and 1996.

Orchard owner Joe Ringhausen was busy pruning peach and apple trees this week in his big orchard near Fieldon.

"The peach buds still have a long way

(See FRUIT, Page 3A)

Irwin Chapel
MEMBER BY INVITATION NSM NATIONAL SELECTED MORTICIANS
"... thoughtfulness, always."
931-8000

WARRENS' Gas & Car Care
For Complete Auto Maintenance & Full Service Gas With Old Fashion Friendliness
2100 Johnson Rd. Granite City, IL
876-8080
BRAKES SHOCKS MUFFLERS OIL CHANGES TUNE UP BATTERIES

We're giving away 28 Cars in 28 Days & $30,000 in cash!
Tickets will be issued every day from 8:00 a.m. January 24th to 5:00 a.m. February 28. Drawings will be held daily February 1-28 at 7 p.m. Play Slots and table games and win big! The more you play, the better your chances.
No purchase necessary. Need not be present to win. Complete rules posted at the Promotions Booth.
Winners have 72 hours to claim their prize.
© 1997 Station Casino St. Charles, St. Charles, MO a Station Casino company. Bet with your head not over it.
CAR-A-DAY!
Bring this coupon to the CAR-A-DAY Promotions Booth and pick up your FREE drawing ticket. One free ticket per coupon, per day, per person. Coupon good Jan. 29th thru Feb. 5th, 1997
STATION CASINO ST. CHARLES
I-70 at the Missouri River, just 10 minutes west of the airport.

Obituaries

M. Kinworthy

Marvin "Moe" Kinworthy, 72, of Granite City died at 8:40 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1997, at his residence following a two-month illness. He was born Feb. 5, 1924, in Montevalla, Ala.



Mr. Kinworthy retired in 1981 after 25 years as a chauffeur for the City of Granite City. He was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include two sons, Charles and Bruce Kinworthy of Granite City; one sister, Mary Corkran of Granite City; three brothers, Don Kinworthy of Ocala, Fla., Herbert Kinworthy of Anchorage, Alaska, and Joe Kinworthy of San Francisco; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty (Benefield) Kinworthy, who died in 1994; his parents, Joe and Enda (Campbell) Kinworthy; two brothers and one sister.

Services were held Tuesday, Jan. 28, at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, with the Rev. Eddy Brown officiating. Burial was in Wanda Cemetery.

Memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Foundation.

Charles Bulva

Charles J. Bulva, 71, of Granite City, formerly of Madison, died at 3:45 p.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 1997, at Colonial Care Center in Granite City following a two-month illness. He



was born Sept. 27, 1925, in Madison.

Mr. Bulva retired in 1988 from Union Electric's Venice Power Plant after 36 years as a pipefitter. He was a member of Operating Engineer Local 148 and St. Mary's Catholic Church in Madison.

Survivors include three sons, Gregory J. Bulva of Granite City, Larry C. Tolbert of San Francisco, and Dennis Ruyle of Nebo; three brothers, James Bulva of Davenport, Iowa, William Bulva of Madison and Les Bulva of Virginia; one sister, Christine Richardson of Granite City; and two grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Orpha (Richards) Bulva, whom he married in 1957 in Peoria and who died in 1974; his parents, Fred and Anna (Volta) Bulva; and one sister, Anna Bulva.

Services were held Monday, Jan. 27, at St. Mary Catholic Church, 10th and Alton, Madison, with the Rev. Jim Keener officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to St. Mary's Catholic Church in Madison.

Arrangements were handled by Thomas Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City.

Mike Carner

Mike Carner, 53, of Port St. Lucie, Fla., formerly of Granite City, died Monday, Jan. 27, 1997, in Port St. Lucie, Fla.

Arrangements are pending at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City.

Gary McCarty

Gary Alvin McCarty, 65, of Granite City died at 12:09 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1997, at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis, following a lengthy illness. He was born Oct. 29, 1931, in Denmark, Tenn.

Survivors include his friend, Norma (Getz) Williams; two brothers, Roy McCarty of Cumberland City, Tenn., and Thomas McCarty of Detroit; and one sister, Rosie Lee Aaron of Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his father, Albert McCarty; his mother, Addie Francis (Lacy) McCarthy Hooper; one half brother, James Stanley Hooper; one sister, Dorothy Weaver; and two stepbrothers, Woodrow and Frank McCarty.

No visitation or services were held. The remains were cremated.

Memorials are suggested to Quad County Cancer Assistance or the American Cancer Society.

Arrangements were handled by Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City.

J. Graklanoff

Joseph Graklanoff, 81, of Edwardsville, formerly of Granite City and Madison, died at 9:41 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1997, in the emergency room at Anderson Hospital in Maryville following a recent illness.



Mr. Graklanoff was born Aug. 3, 1915, in Madison, and had been a resident of Edwardsville for the past seven years.

He retired in 1970 from the U.S. Army Depot in Granite City after 25 years as a security guard in the Aviation Systems Command department, and was a member of St. Cecilia Catholic Church in Glen Carbon.

Survivors include two sons, Gerald J. and Michael E. Graklanoff, both of Glen Carbon; three daughters, Jo Anne Waymire and Linda Wells, both of Glen Carbon, and Jeanne Beausang of Collinsville; two brothers, Steve Graklanoff of Madison and Ed Graklanoff of Granite City; and 14 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Ann (Ponce) Graklanoff, whom he married in 1940 in Venice and who died March 7, 1984; and his parents, Milan and Emma (Babich) Graklanoff.

Services were scheduled for 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, at St. Cecilia Catholic Church, 155 N. Main, Glen Carbon, with the Rev. Steve Polson officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis County.

Memorials are suggested to the American Lung Association.

Arrangements were handled by Thomas Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City.

Mary Hosier

Mary (Donahoo) Hosier, 61, of Granite City, formerly of Washington Park, died at 12:11 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center following a five-year illness. She was born Dec. 23, 1935, in Paragould, Ark.



Mrs. Hosier was a homemaker.

Survivors include one daughter, Mary E. Byrd of Granite City; five sons, Mark and Robert Hosier, both of Granite City, Joe Hosier of Highland, Johnny Hosier of Oklahoma and Rulen Hosier of Arkansas; two brothers, Merle Smith of State Park Place and Mickey Jo Smith of Arkansas; five sisters, Shirley Henson, Fay Murphy, Sally and Sue Donahoo, all of Arkansas, and Helen Donahoo of Michigan; 25 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Lawrence and Sally (Evans) Donahoo; two brothers, Junior Donahoo and Bobby Smith; and three grandchildren.

Services were held Monday, Jan. 27, at Werner Chapel for Funerals, 3939 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, with the Rev. Henry Stone officiating. The remains were cremated.

Memorials are suggested to Crippled Children.

Martha Cottrell

Martha R. (Andrews) Miller Cottrell, 82, of Granite City died at 7:20 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She was born July 31, 1914, in Stewart County, Tenn.

Mrs. Cottrell was a homemaker and of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include two sons, Harold Miller of Fairview Heights and Richard Miller of Glen Carbon; one daughter, Sherry Seviecickl of Granite City; one brother, Thomas Andrews of Granite City; one sister, Lois Broomfield of Granite City; five grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Frank Miller; her second husband, Robert Cottrell; her parents, Charles and Callie (Sykes) Andrews; three brothers and three sisters.

Services were held Tuesday, Jan. 28, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Fred Boatright officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

(See OBITUARIES, Page 7A)

WALLACE M. BRYLAK, D.D.S.
IS PROUD TO WELCOME
DAVID A. DIAK, D.M.D.
AS AN ASSOCIATE
TO HIS DENTAL PRACTICE.



DR. DIAK IS A 1981 GRADUATE OF GRANITE CITY HIGH SCHOOL (SOUTH) AND A 1990 GRADUATE OF SIU DENTAL SCHOOL.
1911 JOHNSON RD.
GRANITE CITY, IL
62040
877-3434

Wedding Specialist
HENSON PHOTO
Lab Work - Photographic Duplicates
(618) 931-4081
3900 LAKE DRIVE • PONTOON BEACH, IL

THE CHIMNEY MAN
CLEAN YOUR CHIMNEY TODAY .....
BEFORE ITS TOO LATE .....
• CHIMNEY & WOOD STOVE CLEANING
• STAINLESS STEEL CHIMNEY CAPS
• CHIMNEY REPAIR
FIVE STAR CLEANING
618-875-2035 or 1-800-975-2035



STORM WINDOWS & SCREEN REPAIR
Granite City Glass
1837 Madison Ave.
877-5400

Mitchell Laundry and Cleaners
5523 Marysville Rd.
Northwest of B.A.C. Granite City Campus
931-9904
OPEN 7 DAYS
Mon-Sat: 8am-9pm Sun: 7am-9pm
NO LIMIT
FREE DRY with wash
Comforters Quilts Bedspreads $2.99 ea

WATER IN YOUR BASEMENT?
SEND FOR THIS
FREE
DO-IT-YOURSELF BASEMENT WATERPROOFING GUIDE
If your basement ever leaks, is damp, wet and musty, you can correct it yourself.
Send for this FREE step-by-step "Do-It-Yourself Waterproofing Program" especially prepared and compiled by America's foremost authorities on basement waterproofing.
To find out how you too can stop the basement leaks once and for all the professional way, send for your FREE "Do-It-Yourself Waterproofing Guide" today.
VULCAN
Basement Waterproofing
Information Center 21267
411 MAIN ST., FENTON, MO 63026
Please send me the FREE "Do-It-Yourself Waterproofing Guide".
Name
Address
City
State Zip

THISTLE
79¢ LB
Any Amount
Good Thru
2-8-97
See Us For Your Feed Needs
PURINA • IAMS • PRO PLAN
SCIENCE DIET • EUKANUBA
SIEMER • SUN • DIAMOND
Yes, We Have!
ONION SETS • GARDEN SEEDS & SUPPLIES
WINTER HOURS:
MON.-FRI. 9-6
SAT. 9-4
CLOSED SUN.
877-8694
schiermer's garden shop
12th & Madison Ave., Madison, IL

MEDICAL, LEGAL AND NURSING HOME MALPRACTICE
FREE CONSULTATION
If you are seeking representation for hospital, physician, nursing home or legal malpractice
CONTACT LAW OFFICES OF
MORRIS B. CHAPMAN AND ASSOC., LTD.
GRANITE CITY ST. LOUIS
1406 NIEDRINGHAUS • GRANITE CITY
ILL. 876-8440 MO. 231-1113

DAVIS TAX SERVICE
FOR YOUR INCOME TAX NEEDS
Individual * Farm
*Business *Partnership
MON. thru FRI. 3:30 to 7:30
SATURDAYS 9:00 to 3:00
REASONABLE RATES
26 YEARS EXPERIENCE
STEVE DAVIS
JOHN HUTCHINGS
452-1829
1909 Johnson Rd.
Granite City

Dr. Gerald H. Bemis
BEMIS CHIROPRACTIC
is now a provider for
Principal & United Health Care
(GENCARE, PHP & MetraHealth)
also HealthLink, BC-BS & Medicare
466-5322
240 W. Elm St., Alton
876-2273
3361 Fehling #7, Granite City

Winter CD Specials
12 month CD 5.88% a.p.y.*
24 month CD 6.14% a.p.y.*
Central Bank
Member FDIC
1-800-782-6708
* $1,000.00 minimum to open Certificate of Deposit. Interest compounds quarterly. Substantial Penalty for early withdrawal. Annual Percentage Yield effective December 9, 1996. Limited time offer. Subject to change.

Granite City Journal
Local Office: 1815 Delmar, Granite City, IL 62040, (618) 876-2000, 1-800-766-FAST
Corporate Office: 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Missouri 63131, (314) 821-1110
Circulation: (618) 235-5747

Published twice weekly by Suburban Newspapers of Greater St. Louis, Inc.

General manager *Doug Cooper*
Advertising manager *Douglas Garbs*
Managing editor *Martin Richter*
City editor *Bob Slate*
Sports editor *Tony Panozzo*

Suburban Newspapers of Greater St. Louis
A Journal Register Company
President ..... *Tom Rice*
V.P. and General Manager ..... *Nancy Cawley*
Chief financial officer ..... *Larry Van de Riet*
Circulation director ..... *Dan Crockwell*
Assistant circulation director ..... *John Mackelden*
General managers: South, West & Jefferson Counties ..... *Rick Jarvis*
North & St. Charles Counties ..... *Shelley Jetts*
Illinois ..... *Doug Cooper*
Classified Advertising manager ..... *Karen Pnazek*

Blood supplies dip to 'dangerously low' level

By Kimberly Haas
Staff writer

American Red Cross blood supplies have reached a dangerously low level because of low donor turnout this winter.

"It's bad and we've reached a critical level," said Peggy Michelson, director of marketing for the Missouri/Illinois American Red Cross.

As a result of the weather and low turnout, 3,500 units of blood have been lost since mid-December, said Michelson. With recent snow and ice mix came a large number of cancellations at area blood drives.

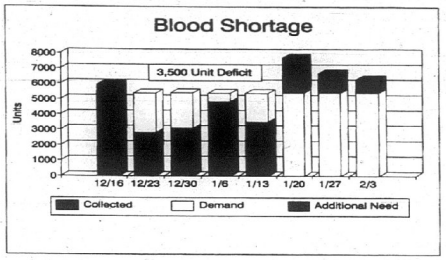
Michelson said the holiday and flu seasons, along with holiday vacations, have not helped the Red Cross's situation.

"With the cold weather, the snow, and the ice, it's created one big mess. To strengthen our supplies, we need to significantly increase them," she said.

Michelson said the low blood supplies are the worst she has seen in a decade. If supplies get any lower, blood may be unavailable for emergency situations and hospitals may be forced to postpone elective surgeries.

According to information from the American Red Cross, inventory levels have declined from a normal three-day supply to below a one-day supply level for all blood types. On Jan. 15, 1,500 units of blood were unable to be collected because of the wintery mix dropped on the area.

The American Red Cross is not only asking for donations from people of all blood types, but it is also asking civic, service, religious and business organizations to host blood drives. For more information on hosting a blood drive, call Michelson at 314-658-2176.



•Hanke

(Continued from Page 1A)

While that can be frustrating, Hanke said that overall his job is very rewarding.

"We're there to help people, and that can give you such a great feeling," Hanke said.

Hanke enjoys working in Edwardsville, a city in which he feels right at home.

"I was raised here, and I lived here until my wife and I moved to Collinsville in 1973," Hanke said.

Hanke's wife, Kathy, is a teacher at North Junior High. The couple have two daughters: Julie, a senior at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale, and Michelle, a sophomore at SIUE.

Hanke said that life has slowed down some since both of his children entered college.

"We're very close to the kids, and we support them as much as we can," Hanke said. "We did a lot of running around (between events) when they were younger."

The Hankes are active members of Good Shepherd Lutheran School where Hanke was a board member for several years. He was serving on the board when the decision was made to build the school.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)

Beth Hutchinson and Denise Gualdoni of the Granite City WalMart Accounting Office join Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerece Executive Vice President R C Bush and President Joe Juneau to watch as Jack Dempsey — along with his business partner, Don Adams — receives the Hometown Award from WalMart Assistant Manager Terry Nance. Dempsey and Adams were receiving the award, which was established by Wal-Mart founder Sam Walton to honor standout local businesses in the communities where Wal-Mart is located, for Dempsey-Adams Auto Body.

•Award

(Continued from Page 1A)

dedication to customer service, respect for employees and community involvement. There are the principles that he lived by and worked by and the principles that continue to guide us into the future at Wal-Mart."

The Dempsey-Adams companies include four distinct operations: Granite City Glass; Granite City Fence; Regency Leasing and Sales; and Dempsey-Adams Auto Body.

The owners fit the Walton Award criteria to a tee.

"Customer service has been the company's forte for 41 years," said R C Bush, executive vice president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce. "They accept and listen to complaints as graciously as they do a compliment."

"Customer satisfaction is our goal," Adams said.

Employees are trained — by instruction and example — to be competent in service and courteous in customer relations.

Dempsey and Adams conduct weekly staff meetings with all department heads, where minute details of the day-to-day operations are discussed.

Both Dempsey and Adams also exemplify the principle of community service.

Members of the chamber since 1957, both have held chamber offices, including president, and served on a number of committees.

Adams has 40 years of perfect attendance as a member of the Granite City Rotary Club. Dempsey has nearly a dozen.

Each is a past potentate of Ainad Temple Shriners and both work voluntarily for the Shriners Hospital in St. Louis. Adams has also served for 25 years on the advisory board at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

They have taken an interest in regional issues as well, including environmental problems such as solid waste management and economic development matters like joint civilian/military use of Scott Air Force Base.

Dempsey and Adams were among more than 720 business people selected nationwide for the Walton Award. Participating chambers of commerce received more than $360,000 in grants from the Sam Walton Foundation.

Last year, Wal-Mart contributed a total of $65 million to the communities it serves through economic development grants, matching contributions to community organizations and other programs, according to a press release.

•Fruit

(Continued from Page 1A)

to go to survive the winter," he said. "The temperature dropped below zero in our orchard last week. I'm optimistic that plenty of peach buds survived for a good crop."

Peach buds freeze quicker than apple buds in early winter. "If the temperature drops down to 15 below zero, it usually kills most of the peaches," Hagen said. "Apple buds can stand much more cold."

For Hagen and Ringhausen, the cold winter this year brings back memories of 1996 when an arctic chill destroyed the peach crop.

"The temperature dropped to 18 degrees below zero on Feb. 3, 1996, and wiped out the peach buds," said Hagen, who lost most of his 12,000-bushel crop.

"I ended up with only 500 bushels."

Growers in Jersey, Calhoun, Macoupin, Greene and Madison counties lost $2 million worth of peaches to the hard freeze in 1996.

The cost of producing a 40-acre peach crop can surpass $100,000, Hagen said. "It costs us about $2,000 an acre to raise a peach crop, including pruning, spraying and fertilizing," he said.

"It costs about $300 to $400 an acre in labor to pick peaches."

Jacobs recalled the bumper crop of peaches during the Great Flood of 1993.

"The crop was great but customers couldn't get through the flood water into Calhoun County to buy the peaches," he said.

— *From The Telegraph*

OPEN YOUR DOOR TO A HIGH SCHOOL FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT.
Several countries to choose from; Scandinavian, European, South American, Asian or one of the New Independent States from the former Soviet Union. August arrival. Call today!
Call 1-800-SIBLING today.
American Intercultural Student Exchange!
A nonprofit tax exempt educational foundation.

POSITIVE LEADERSHIP PARTY
John W. Hamm III
FOR MAYOR
Chicken & Beer Dance
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1997
7:00 P.M. to Midnight
AMVETS POST 204
1711 Kennedy Drive Madison, IL.
A copy of our report filed with the State Board of Elections and the County Clerk is (or will be) available for purchase from the State Board of Elections, Springfield, Illinois and from the County Clerk, Edwardsville, Illinois.
PAID FOR BY POSITIVE LEADERSHIP PARTY

"May All Your Dreams Come True"
Catholic Schools Week
at
St. Elizabeth Parish Schools
January 26th thru 31st
Elementary Day School
2300 Pontoon Road
Granite City, IL 62040
931-0125
Pre-School/day Care
2300 Pontoon Road
Granite City, IL 62040
931-0127
Parish School of Religion
2300 Pontoon Road
Granite City, IL 62040
931-0125 (Wed. Evenings)

BEST WISHES IN THE COMING YEAR
From
HOSPICE of Southern Illinois, Inc.
Will continue to serve the terminally ill and their families in 1997 just as we have for the past 15 years!
1-800-233-1708

GLASS CUT TO ANY SIZE
Granite City Glass
1837 Madison Ave.
877-5400

With free nights and weekends all year, there's never been a better time to break down in the middle of nowhere.
GET A FREE PHONE plus FREE NIGHTS & WEEKENDS FOR THE REST OF 1997. SIGN UP NOW ON AN ELIGIBLE SERVICE PLAN TO GET THE MOST TIME.
Ask about our paging offer too.
Only from Ameritech Cellular. The one with proven call quality.
Ameritech.
Contract required. Restrictions apply. 3 year contract required for free phone. Free phone model may vary. Free airtime applies to local usage only. Normal tolls, fees, taxes may apply to usage of free local airtime. Limited time offer. 4244N1/97 1/10/97-3/15/97
Cellular Plus
"Keeping America Talking"
110 Woodcrest Dr. Highland, IL 654-4444
4140 Pontoon Rd. Pontoon Beach, IL 797-1900
Mobile Phones • Accessories • Installations • Activations
Ask About Our Refer-A-Friend Program

TO MOST LOAN APPLICANTS WE HAVE ONLY ONE THING TO SAY:
APPROVED
LOANS FROM $100 - $550
CALL OR COME BY YOUR NEAREST LOCATION FOR FAST, FRIENDLY SERVICE. FIXED INCOME LOANS AVAILABLE!
SUN LOAN COMPANY
WHETHER YOU WANT TO PAY CHRISTMAS DEBTS, PLAN A VACATION, OR NEED SOME CASH IN YOUR POCKET, CALL US TODAY FOR A QUICK ANSWER TO YOUR NEEDS. PHONE APPLICATIONS GLADLY ACCEPTED.
Collinsville 830 S. Morrison 346-4606
Belleville 13 S. High St. 257-9797
East Alton 247 Eastgate Plaza 254-4199
WAC

Accent
BAR and COUNTER STOOLS
• Over 160 styles to choose from.
• Custom orders, your fabric or ours.
• Many in stock, ready to go.
10618 Page Ave. 426-2227
(1 Mile east of Lindbergh on Page Ave. at Warson in the Page Center)
M - F 10-5:30
SAT. 10-5:00
SUN. 12-4:00
VISA MasterCard

Downtown G

For All Your Sho

RAPID REFUND!!
Get Income Tax Money Back In 3 To 5 Days.
BERT'S RENTAL
1920 Delmar•Granite City
877-7600

STATE ST. PLASTER
1831 State St. • Granite City,. IL •(618) 876-5801
Hrs: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Tues. - Sat.
COUPON
20% OFF
ANY PURCHASE
Great for indoor winter projects!
Retail Only - Expires February 15, 1997

ALWAYS AVAILABLE LEATHER & GIFT SHOP
1916 STATE 452-8951
NEW INVENTORY OF QUALITY SILVER JEWELRY JUST ARRIVED!
★ PEWTER
★ BRASS ITEMS
★ AND OF COURSE INDIAN COLLECTIBLES
★ MEN'S, WOMEN'S & CHILDREN'S LEATHER JACKETS
LAYAWAY AVAILABLE
Unique Gifts From All Over The World
CUSTOM SHIRTS & SILK SCREENING

FORCADE INSURANCE AGENCY
1822 STATE ST., GRANITE CITY, IL
876-8333
AUTO/HOME/SR-22
BOATS/FLOOD
NOTARY PUBLIC/BONDS
Mon., Tues., Wed. & Fri. 9-5
Thurs. 12-7 Sat. 9-12
Family Owned and Operated Since 1946

WASHBOARD LAUNDRY LAUNDROMAT
Come In Out Of The Cold!
TV & Coffee For Our Customers
☆ DOOR PRIZES ☆
Same day drop if in by 10 A.M.
24th & Adams, Granite City • 452-9274
Courteous Service
MAYTAG WASHERS AND DRYERS

FINAL DAYS JANUARY CLEARANCE

Gibson
GIBSON 24" BUILT-IN DISHWASHER
• 3-Level Wash Action
• Pots & Pans Cycle
• Sani-Temp 140° Water Heat Option
• Heated Fan-Dry System
• Sound-Insulated 4 Sides
• 10-Year Limited Warranty*
ONLY $299.95

Gibson
GIBSON 30" SELF-CLEANING GAS RANGE
• Self-Cleaning Oven
• Clock/Timer with "Delay Cook & Off" Control
• Electric Ignition
• Fluorescent Canopy Light
• Convenient Wash-High Broiler
• 5-Year Limited Warranty*
ONLY $599.95

$10 Down
$10 A Month
NO Interest For 1 Year!

Gibson
Free Icemaker
GIBSON FROST-CLEAR REFRIGERATOR
• 20.6 Cu. Ft. Volume
• Contour Glass Shelves
• See-Thru Meat Keeper
• Freezer Shelf
• Juice Can Dispenser
• High-Efficiency Compressor
• Adjustable Rollers
• 10-Year Limited Warranty*
ONLY $599.95

Gibson
GIBSON 20 CU. FT. REFRIGERATOR
• 3 Fully-Adj. Wire Shelves
• Crisper & Adj. Temp Meat Keeper
• Icemaker Ready
• Sliding Freezer Basket
• Color-Coordinated Reach-Thru Handles
• Adj. Rollers
ONLY $699.95

Gibson
GIBSON 30" BUDGET-PRICED GAS RANGE
• Pilot Light
• Lift-Up Top w/Dual Support Rods
• 2 Oven Racks
• Glass-Out Broiler
• Porcelain Broiler Pan/Grid
ONLY $288.95

GIBSON COMPACT CHEST FREEZER
• 7.2 Cu. Ft. Volume
• Removable Basket
• Defrost Drain
• Lock w/Pop-Out Key
• 10-Year Limited Warranty*
ONLY $299.95

Gibson 24 Cu. Ft. Side-By-Side Refrigerator
• 24.1 Cu. Ft. Total Clear Volume
• Tru-Tite Door Handles Crushed Ice And Water Dispenser
• 2 Adjustable Cantilever Spill-Free Glass Shelves
• See-Thru Crisper With Glass Cover
• See-Thru, Adjustable Temperature Meat Keeper
• See-Thru Deli Drawer
• Dairy Compartment With See-Thru Door
• Full-Width Freezer Basket
• Adjustable Gallon Door Bins
• 3 Freezer Shelves
• Sliding Frozen Food Basket
• Color-Coordinated Reach-Thru Handles
• Full-Width Freezer Doors And Cabinet Door Stops
• Sure Seal™ Door Closers
• Adjustable Rollers
• Energy-Efficient Compact Compressor
• 10-Year Limited Golden Warranty*
*See Sales Associate for complete warranty details.
$1099.95

Stratolounger Rocker Recliners or Wall Huggers
$299.95
$349.95
CLOSEOUT Covers Wall Huggers
$199.95
$399.95

SOFA & LOVE SEAT $999.95

Dresser, Mirror, Chest, Headbord & Night Stand $699.95

SOFA, LOVE SEAT & CHAIR $599.95

$99.95 Daybed Including Spring Unit

MATCHING LOVESEAT $599.95

RECLINING SOFA $699.95

Free Delivery and Free Bed Frame with purchase of set

Great Bedding Buys

Good 10 Yr. Warranty				
Twin	ea. pc.	Compare at $239.95	is	$89.95
Full	ea. pc.	Compare at $269.95	is	$99.95
Queen	set	Compare at $659.00	is	$249.95
King	set	Compare at $869.95	is	$349.95

Better 12 Yr. Warranty				
Twin	ea. pc.	Compare at $279.95	is	$99.95
Full	ea. pc.	Compare at $319.95	is	$129.95
Queen	set	Compare at $799.95	is	$299.95
King	set	Compare at $989.95	is	$399.95

Best 15 Yr. Warranty				
Twin	ea. pc.	Compare at $359.95	is	$139.95
Full	ea. pc.	Compare at $389.95	is	$159.95
Queen	set	Compare at $959.95	is	$399.95
King	set	Compare at $1299.95	is	$519.95

Granite City Home Furnishings
1842 State • Granite City • 451-4799
• Convenient Terms
• FREE LAY-AWAY
FREE Delivery and Set-Up
MasterCard DISCOVER VISA

Granite City Shopping Needs!

Olde Towne Cafe

Grand Opening of our New Dinner Hours!

THURSDAY
JANUARY 30TH

☆ Free Balloons for the Kids
☆ Drawing for dinner for 2 on Jan. 30
Join us for Sunday Dinner or
Call and let us Deliver!

VALENTINE SPECIAL
During dinner hours - Buy one dinner at reg. price and get the 2nd dinner at 1/2 price during Feburary

*As always we still offer FREE! delivery to all of our valued customers!

5AM - 6 PM Weekdays • 7 AM - 2 PM Weekends
Corner of 19th & State St. • Granite City
Call 876-0446

You've Tried the Rest ... Now Try The BEST!

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE!

All pawn items MUST be picked up by MARCH, 1997.

Check It Out. Priced To Sell!

ALL STOCK ITEMS ON SALE!
CASH AND CARRY

Bargains Galore! All Sales Final!

BEAT THESE PRICES
14 K $13.50 DWT $8.68 GR.
10 K $9.00 DWT $5.79 GR.
• Gold Chains • Wedding Bands • Used Jewelry
• New Jewelry Slightly Higher •

BUD'S HOUSE OF GOLD
PHONE: 451-4734
1320 19th Street · Granite City

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE!



PRIOR SALES EXCLUDED

WINTER AND HOLIDAY GOODS
30% TO 75% OFF!
REGULAR PRICE

•2 PC. OUTFITS
•BLOUSES
•PANTS
•SKIRTS
•SWEATERS

OPEN 10-5 MON.-SAT.

PRIOR SALES EXCLUDED

VISA MasterCard DISCOVER

Tops -N- Bottoms

Misses Fashions
1343 19th St. • Granite City • 876-7892



7-ELEVEN

19th & Niedringhaus Ave.

BUY ONE BIG GULP GET ONE FREE!
With This Ad

Try one of our Oscar Mayer 1/4 pound hot dogs with the works

99¢ EVERYDAY

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK
24 HRS.
WE NEVER CLOSE

876-3631

Jack & Jill's "NEW FURNITURE"

ROOM FULL OF FURNITURE



Sofa Set, Coffee and End Tables, Pair of Lamps -

$899 to $1099

14,000 square feet of furniture !

Finest Used Furniture in Granite City!

We Buy, Sell, Trade and Consign QUALITY Furniture!

DELIVERY & FINANCING AVAILABLE

*90 Days Same As Cash with Approved Credit

1261 Niedringhaus • Granite City, IL

877-8381

"WE'VE REDEFINED RESALE"

LAYAWAY AVAILABLE

MasterCard VISA DISCOVER

Our Slogan Is: WHY PAY RETAIL?

WATCH BATTERIES $2.99 everyday

GOLD CHAINS $12.95 per gram

We have built our business on honesty and reliability & hope to be in this community for many years.

Complete Jewelry Service
We Have A Diamond Setter On Premises

Come In And Visit **Jim Hudson** At:

1901 State St.
Granite City

JIM'S PAWN & JEWELRY

452-3186
Jim Hudson-
OWNER

3-DAY SALE & VALUES!

Hurry In For These 24 Values & Hundreds More In Store:

SAVE 40% ENTIRE STOCK VERTICAL BLINDS. Reg. 19.99-74.99, sale 11.99-44.99. Colors and sizes may vary by store.

SALE 7.99 CONTICO STORAGE CART. Reg. 14.99. Durable, multi-purpose storage. Also in white.

SALE 14.99 each YOUR CHOICE STOCK POTS. Reg. 19.99-29.99. 12-qt., 16-qt., or 20-qt., stainless steel.

MARKETPLACE AT VENTURE

SALE 4.99 HI-DRI 12-ROLL PAPER TOWELS.

SALE 88¢ PRINGLES. A great snack in many varieties.

SALE 3 for $5 CASCADE 50-OZ. AUTO DISH POWDER OR GEL OR DAWN 28-OZ. ULTRA DISH.

SALE 2 for $5 ANGEL SOFT 12-ROLL BATHROOM TISSUE.

Valid 1/29-1/31/97

SALE 69¢ with coupon. PEPSI 2-LITER. Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Caffeine-Free Diet Pepsi or Mountain Dew. 3-liters substituted in our Corpus Christi and Amarillo stores only, with coupon 99¢. Limit 4 per coupon per household. No photocopies. Coupon valid 1/29-1/31/97. Venture Instant Coupon

SALE 3 for $9 PUREX 128-OZ. LIQUID LAUNDRY DETERGENT OR PUREX 169-OZ. CLASSIC POWDER.

ONLY 4.96 VALUE. RUBBERMAID 18-GALLON TOTE. Snap-lock lid, stackable design. Hunter or slate.

SALE 14.99 TWIN HANDCRAFTED QUILT. Reg. 39.99. King or full/queen handcrafted quilt, sale 29.99. Pillow sham, sale 14.99. Decorative pillow, sale 7.99.

SAVE 40% ENTIRE STOCK KEYBOARDS. Reg. 10.99-499.99, sale 6.59-299.99. Choose from Casio and others.

Hot Price 88.97 700 Watts. WELBILT .7 CU. FT. MICROWAVE. Reg. 119.99. Turntable cooking system. Five 1-touch keys. 2 power levels. Model WR70T.

Hot Price 35% OFF RAPIDRY RUGS. Reg. 8.99-44.99, sale 5.84-29.24. Choose lids, 17x24", 24x40" or 5x8' rugs. 50% off Classic Touch rugs, sale 3.99-7.99.

SAVE 30% BURLINGTON SCATTER RUGS. Reg. 9.99-$80, sale 6.99-$56.

SALE 17.99 EMERSON CASSETTE STEREO. Reg. 24.99. AM/FM portable stereo. Cassette player/recorder. AC/DC. Model PS666/AC2312.

ONLY 9.96 VALUE. AT&T TRIMLINE FACTORY-SERVICED* PHONE. *Re-conditioned. Previously owned. Colors vary by store. Model 230.

SALE 7.99 FLANNEL BODY PILLOW. Reg. 12.99. Plaids or solids. Styles vary by store. No rain checks.

ONLY 9.99 WOVEN THROW BLANKET. Cotton or acrylic. Many styles and patterns. Styles vary by store. No rain checks.

SALE 89.99 CASIO PORTABLE CD PLAYER. Reg. 129.99. 3-second anti-shock protection with car kit. Bass boot. AC/DC. Model PZ2800. CASIO

SALE 99.99 ESCORT 900 MHZ CORDLESS PHONE. Reg. 149.99. Eight times the normal range of a cordless phone. Model 9100

Hot Price 79.97 REGINA STEEMER CARPET CLEANER. Reg. 99.99. 2-motor system. High-pressure pump. Lightweight. Model RG411RVR.

SAVE 50% Off orig. price ENTIRE STOCK CARBON MONOXIDE AND SMOKE DETECTORS. Now 3.50-$25. Intermediate markdowns may have been taken.

SALE 119.99 EMERSON VCR. Reg. 149.99. 181-channel capability. Remote control. On-screen programming. Model VCR3002/3003. Emerson

Join For FREE! 60+ SENIORS GET 10% off Reg., sale and clearance prices. **Every Wednesday!** Ask for details

Red Tab Clearance! 50-60% off Orig. Price

When you take 40% off already reduced select Red Tab items.

Here's How It Works:

Original Price	19.99
Red Tab Price	12.00
Less 40%	4.80
YOU PAY	7.20

That's Over 60% Off The Original Price!

Ladies' • Men's • Kids'

Shoes • Coats • Activewear • Sweaters • Sportswear • Dresses • Ladies' Accessories
Ladies' Sleepwear • Select Men's Sport Shop Teamwear • Infants' Clothing

Clearance merchandise is indicated by orig. and now pricing. Intermediate markdowns may have been taken. Prices valid while quantities last. Styles vary by store. No rain checks. 14-day Price Guarantee does not apply to clearance merchandise.

Venture®

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday, January 29th, 30th & 31st

CALL TOLL-FREE 1 (800) 31-4LESS FOR YOUR NEAREST VENTURE LOCATION.

Where there is overlap between this event and other Venture advertising, you will receive the larger savings – not both discounts. Items available while quantities last. No layaways. No rain checks. Selection may vary by store. Venture Value and "Only" priced items not on sale. No price adjustments on prior purchases. Intermediate markdowns may have been taken. Sale prices effective Wednesday, January 29th-Friday, January 31st, 1997, unless noted.

GLIK'S WINTER CLEARAWAY

TAKE AN ADDITIONAL

30% OFF

LOWEST MARKED PRICE

ON A SELECT STOCK OF MEN'S, WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S SPORTSWEAR

SAVE 45% TO 60% ON NAME BRAND WOVEN SHIRTS, FLEECE TOPS, KNIT TOPS, SWEATERS, PANTS & MORE!



BELLEMORE CENTER

MON.-SAT., 9:30-9 SUN., 12-5

GLIK'S CHARGE VISA MASTERCARD DISCOVER

•Obituaries

(Continued from Page 1A)

Virginia Uptain

Virginia J. (Qualls) Uptain, 84, of Dellwood, Mo., died Friday, Jan. 24, 1997. She was born July 15, 1912, in Harmony, Ark.

Mrs. Uptain was a Southern Baptist and member of Oak Hill Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Norma Uptain Mendoza and Jane Uptain Cooper; one son, Howard W. Uptain; one sister, Ruby (Colombus) Jones; seven grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Howard W. Uptain; and her parents, William Thomas and Ora Beatrice (Adams) Qualls.

Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. today, Wednesday, Jan. 29, at Oak Hill Baptist Church, 3166 Pershall, Florissant, Mo. There will be visitation at the church from 9:30 a.m. today until the service begins. Burial will be in Laurell Hill Cemetery.

Arrangements were handled by Alexander Funeral Home, 11101 St. Charles Rock Road at Lindbergh, St. Ann, Mo.

Edith Carney

Edith "Pauline" (Ford) Carney, 77, of Granite City, formerly of St. Louis, died at 9:25 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1997, at Colonial Care Center following a one-year illness.

Mrs. Carney was born July 12, 1919, in Ellington, Mo., and had been a Granite City resident for 46 years. She was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include one sister, Ruby Long of Ellington, Mo.; one brother, Woodrow Ford of California; and one sister-in-law, Lydia Sykes of Granite City.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Elmon Carney, whom she married in Granite City in 1951 and who died in 1975; her parents, Isaac and Mary Elizabeth (Dennison) Ford; one brother, Grover Ford; and one sister, Irene Widger.

Services were held Tuesday, Jan. 28, at Thomas Chapel, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Chris Cupples officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Estates.

Memorials are suggested to the American Cancer Society.

C. Martinez

Charlene V. (Habermehl) Martinez, 65, of Granite City, formerly of Iowa, died at 7:52 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City. She was born Jan. 16, 1932, in Missouri.

Mrs. Martinez was formerly employed by Miller Medical in Iowa as a corporate secretary; formerly worked in the secretarial field for many years in St. Louis; and attended St. John United Church of Christ in Granite City.

Survivors include two sons, Walter Martinez of Granite City and Daniel Martinez of Florida; one daughter, Susie Martinez of Washington, D.C.; one brother, the Rev. Arthur Habermehl Jr. of Oxford, Mich.; and one sister, Esther Rosenberger of Phoenix, Ariz.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Arthur J. Sr. and Viola E. (Boll) Habermehl.

Services are scheduled for 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, Jan. 29, at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Arthur J. Habermehl Jr. officiating. Burial will be in St. Peters Cemetery, St. Louis.

More obituaries, 9B

SEARS HOMELIFE FURNITURE STORE

3 days only!

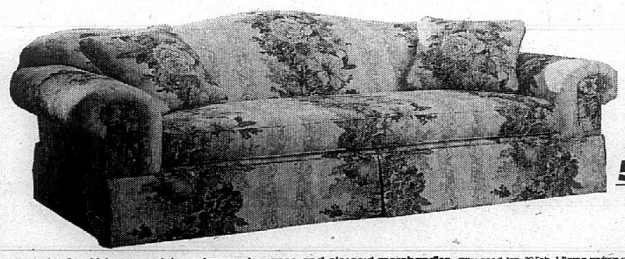
Thursday, Friday and Saturday
January 30 - February 1

BONUS SAVINGS

the more you buy, the more you save!

Save $20 When you spend $199 - 399.99	Save $40 When you spend $400 - 599.99	Save $60 When you spend $600 - 799.99	Save $80 When you spend $800 - 999.99
Save $100 When you spend $1000 - 1499.99	Save $150 When you spend $1500 - 1999.99	Save $200 When you spend $2000 - 2499.99	Save $250 When you spend $2500 or more!

Here's an example of how BONUS SAVINGS works:



Oxford Square sofa
Traditional camelback sofa in 8 color options. By Barclay.

860.00 Reg. price
649.99 Sale price
-60.00 BONUS SAVINGS
589.99 FINAL PRICE
270.01 TOTAL SAVINGS

Excludes SureValues, special purchases, clearance and closeout merchandise. Offer good Jan. 30-Feb. 1 Bonus savings applicable to sale and regular priced merchandise. SureValue items are at their lowest prices, every day. Current prices or finance charges do not apply to previous purchases. Some items not displayed in all stores. Most items inventoried in manufacturers' warehouses. Allow reasonable time for delivery. Prices do not include delivery. Pickup available at our central distribution center for no extra charge.

CRESTWOOD
9059 Watson Rd.
1/2 mile east of Crestwood Plaza
(314) 961-5448

FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS, IL
49 Ludwig Drive
1/4 mile north of St. Clair Sq. Mall, next to Olive Garden Restaurant
(314) 398-8264

FLORISSANT SEARS STORE
Jamestown Mall
(314) 653-4601

ST. ANN SEARS STORE
700 Northwest Plaza
(314) 344-5601

HOMELIFE FURNITURE STORE

Everything you need to bring your home to life

SATURDAY EXPERIENCE

Make your Saturdays count!

Enroll in one or more of our non-credit classes offered at the Granite City Campus

Call (618) 931-6000 to register.

Granite City Campus
4950 Maryville Road
Granite City, IL 62040

Arts & Crafts
Stiffy Bows
Round Colonial Basket
Tole Painting: Bed & Breakfast Birdfeeder
Oil Painting – Poppies in Wicker Basket
Glitzy Iris Sweatshirt
Creative Keepsake Photos
Beginning Watercolor for Adults
Tole Painting: Sunflower Garden Girl
Painted Canvas Tote Bag
Potpourri
Pantry Basket
Oil Painting – Mountain and Lake
Teddy Bear Tea Party Wreath
Gift Baskets
Floral Basics: Silk
A Breath of Spring
Floral Basics: Fresh
It's For The Birds

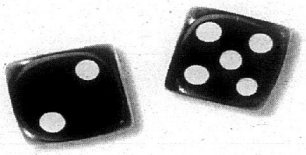
Business & Computers
Computers Don't Byte
Windows '95 For Absolute Beginners
Windows '95 Workshop
Microsoft Word Workshop
House Cleaning As A Business
Pricing & Identification Of Antiques

Personal & Professional
Personal Self Defense
Sign Language For Child Care/Educational Providers
Family Emergency Preparedness
Attitude Adjustment I
Attitude Adjustment II
EXTRA! EXTRA!
Understanding Mutual Fund Investing
Understanding And Enjoying Antiques
Basics Of Signing
Signing Review
Astrology
What To Do When Your Get Up And Go, Got Up And Went
How To Deal With Difficult People
Planning The Perfect Wedding For Less
Firearms: Skills & Safety

Home & Garden
Simple Plumbing Repairs
Cleaning Smart: Tips And Tricks
Beginner's Stained Glass Brick Stepping Stone
Do-It-Yourself Electrical Repairs
How To Build A Deck
Drywall Repair And Installation
Herb Gardening
Update Your Landscaping
What You Need To Know Before Building Or Buying A Home
Ceramic Tile Installation And Repair
Perennial Flower Garden Tool Time
Live Floral Hanging Basket
Advanced Stained Glass Brick Stepping Stone
Interior Design: Where To Begin – How To Finish

The Cook's Corner
Beginning Cake Decorating
Advanced Cake Decorating
Herbal Edibles
Cookie Bouquet

BELLEVILLE AREA COLLEGE
BELLEVILLE GRANITE CITY



Why leave it up to chance?

If you are caring for someone you love who is struggling with Alzheimer's, you know that every day is different. Some days are easier. Some are not. At Eden Care Center, we offer a highly dedicated care team specially trained to help Alzheimer's patients work toward achieving their maximum level of independence. We provide a nurturing environment in a facility designed with soft colors, a low noise level and secured accessibility. And, our Alzheimer's Support Group helps family members understand and cope with the effects of this devastating disease.

We enable patients to make the most of each day. No matter what type of day may roll by.

Eden Village
400 S. Station Road, Glen Carbon
288-5014

Eden Care Center is a division of Eden Village, a not-for-profit organization affiliated with Eden United Church of Christ. Eden Village also provides Apartments and Duplex homes for the active and independent senior.

THE WORLD'S BIGGEST HOME IMPROVEMENT WAREHOUSE!

THE HOME DEPOT®

GRAND OPENING!

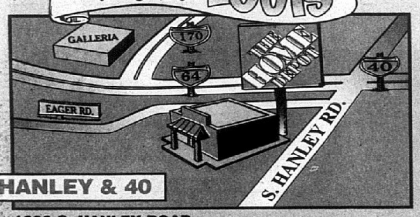
DOORS OPEN THURSDAY!

COMPARE AND SAVE BIG ON THESE ITEMS!

WE'RE LOWERING THE COST OF HOME IMPROVEMENT IN ST LOUIS!

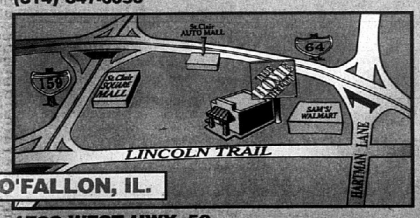
WE GUARANTEE LOW PRICES EVERY DAY!

Now in ST. LOUIS



HANLEY & 40

1603 S. HANLEY ROAD
Just south of the corner of S. Hanley Road and HWY. 40(64)
(314) 647-6050



O'FALLON, IL.

1706 WEST HWY. 50
Approximately 2 miles East of St. Clair Mall between the St. Clair Auto Mall and Petsmart
(618) 632-9626



R-19 15" FIBERGLAS™ INSULATION

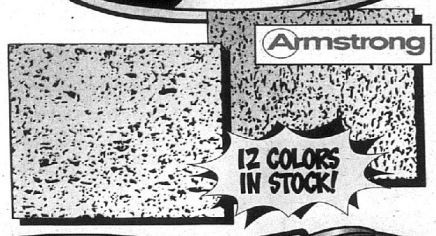
- 6 1/4" thick
- The higher the R-value, the greater the insulating power. Ask to see the manufacturer's fact sheet on R-values.

(372620)

COVERS 49 SQ. FT!

$9.79 OUR EVERY DAY LOW PRICE!

BUILDERS SQUARE	HOME QUARTERS
$10.35 THEIR SALE PRICE	$11.50



12 COLORS IN STOCK!

12"x12" EXCELON® FLOOR TILE

- Dryback
- Durable vinyl composition
- Super thick
- Commercial traffic rated
- Color and pattern all through the tile

51908(344770)

49¢ EA. OUR EVERY DAY LOW PRICE!

BUILDERS SQUARE	HOME QUARTERS
65¢ EA.	66¢ EA.



CADET II 1.6 GAL. COMMODE

- Seat sold separately
- Water-saving 1.6 gallon flush
- White bowl • Round front
- 12 inch rough in (749611)

$99 OUR EVERY DAY LOW PRICE!

BUILDERS SQUARE	HOME QUARTERS
$119.88	$111.60

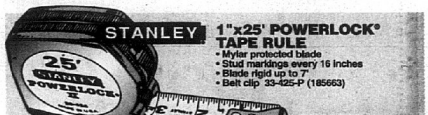


45 GALLON TRASH CAN with WHEELS

- Evergreen
- Heavy duty construction
- Easy rolling wheels 1345-57 (173311)

$17.97 OUR EVERY DAY LOW PRICE!

BUILDERS SQUARE	HOME QUARTERS
$23.99	$23.98



1"x25' POWERLOCK® TAPE RULE

- Mylar protected blade
- Stud markings every 16 inches
- Blade rigid up to 7'
- Belt clip 33-425-P (185663)

$8.96 OUR EVERY DAY LOW PRICE!

BUILDERS SQUARE	HOME QUARTERS
$12.68	NO STOCK



EASY TO INSTALL!

$39.86 OUR EVERY DAY LOW PRICE!

PROGRAMMABLE THERMOSTAT

- Includes mounting plate, hardware & easy programming guide
- Batteries sold separately (789042)

BUILDERS SQUARE	HOME QUARTERS
$58.21	$59.55

WHERE LOW PRICES ARE JUST THE BEGINNING!™

HOME DEPOT CHARGE CARD · VISA · MasterCard · AMERICAN EXPRESS · DISCOVER NOVUS

DOORS OPEN THURSDAY | MON-THURS. 6:30am-10pm | FRIDAY 6:30am-11pm | SATURDAY 6:30am-10pm | SUNDAY 8:00am-7pm

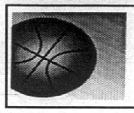
• Installation provided by licensed contractors. License #2102119069. Additional information available upon request.

PRICES MAY VARY AFTER FEBRUARY 8, 1997. IF THERE ARE MARKET VARIATIONS.

We reserve the right to limit quantities to the amount reasonable for homeowners and our regular contractor customers. It is our policy to run truthful, accurate advertising. In the event of an error, we will make every reasonable effort to accommodate our customers. Details on any product warranties available at store. Prices shown for comparison should not be considered as representative of savings throughout the store. Competitors' prices may change. Items were purchased January 13 - 14, 1997 at: Home Quarters: 14205 Manchester Rd., Manchester, MO 63201; 11333 Blake Lane, Bridgeton, MO 63044; Builders Square: 6750 Manchester Ave., St. Louis, MO 63139; 12410 St. Charles Rock Rd., Bridgeton, MO 63044; 13929 Manchester Rd., St. Louis, MO 63011.

sponsored by Alliance BlueCross BlueShield

inside Cardinals Team of the Week



Area polls Page 3B

Ousted Baker helps Cougars find winning recipe

Trojans take second in tourney

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

The 15th annual Nashville Invitational Tournament couldn't have been scripted any better. The Madison Trojans (13-3) met the Breese (Central) Cougars (13-2) in a championship contest for the books. Central claimed the title with a down-to-the wire 66-61 triumph.

The score was tied four times and the lead changed hands eight times in a back-and-forth first quarter. Brandon McGirt worked the inside and Maurice Baker the outside carrying the offensive load for the Trojans. Jason Becker (6-4), a first team all-tournament selection, worked in and around the paint for eight points, leading the Cougars. Central led 18-17 after one quarter.

It was deja vu for Madison in the second quarter. For the second game in a row, they were shut down offensively during the eight-minute stretch. The Trojans' attempt to penetrate the Cougars' solid defense proved futile, and they could not pass around the pesky Central guards, who were on the ball the moment the Madison players received it. Central claimed a 14-6 second quarter edge and led 32-23 at the half.

Central's one-two punch of Becker and Brian Markus (6-3) bullied the Trojans on the inside, teaming for 22 first-half

(See MADISON, Page 2B)

Nashville Invitational
Tuesday, Jan. 21
Game 1: Nashville 65, Wesclin 42
Game 2: Madison 67, Freeburg 44
Wednesday, Jan. 22
Game 3: Mascoutah 58, Breese Mater Dei 53
Game 4: Breese Central 71, Gibault 50
Thursday, Jan. 23
Game 5: Freeburg 50, Wesclin 32
Game 6: Mater Dei 51, Gibault 43
Friday, Jan. 24
Game 7: Madison 56, Nashville 48
Game 8: Central 83, Mascoutah 47
Saturday, Jan. 25
Fifth place: Gibault 59, Wesclin 36
Consolation championship: Mater Dei 80, Freeburg 32
Third place: Nashville 61, Mascoutah 50
Championship: Central 66, Madison 61

Hornets fly past Indians 61-50 in third-place tournament game

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

The Nashville Hornets led from start to finish Saturday night, easing past the Mascoutah Indians 61-50 in the third-place game of the Nashville Invitational Tournament.

The hosts took a 14-9 first quarter lead and kept the margin between six and 11 points most of the way. The score was 26-18 at the half and 38-30 after three quarters.

The Indians plodded on offense against the quicker Hornets. Every open shot was quickly contested as the Nashville guards consistently overplayed on defense only to get back in place before Mascoutah could launch a shot.

Nashville also closed off the inside with a man-to-man defense that was able to cheat toward the paint because of superior quickness.

Mascoutah managed only 29 percent shooting in the first half. Brian Binsbacher (6-3) was the only Indian with more than one field goal in the half and had 10 of Mascoutah's 18 points.

Mascoutah played the first 16 minutes as if they were still shaking off the effects of Friday's 83-47 shellacking from Breese Central — the Indians' worst defeat of the season.

It looked as though the Indians might make a run late in the third period. With Nashville in front 30-22, Mascoutah forced the Hornets into three straight turnovers and closed to within four, 30-26, on fielders by Binsbacher and Darryl Tyler (6-3). But Nashville reeled off eight straight points in the next 53 seconds for a 38-26 lead, their largest of the game.

The Hornets attempted only three field goals in the fourth quarter but stepped to the free throw line 13 times, hitting 16 of 25 tosses to seal the victory. Meanwhile, in a desperate attempt to catch up, the Indians took 11 shots from 3-point range, connecting only twice.

Brian Schneider kept Mascoutah in the game down the stretch, scoring 10 of his team-high 14 points in the fourth quar-

(See HORNETS, Page 2B)



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)
Jerrind Howard leaps for the ball.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)
Collinsville's Jason Dudley tries to fight Brooks Narvaez's effort to set up a takedown.

Howell dents perfect Warrior record

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

The GCHS wrestlers made quick work of Jerseyville (69-0), Collinsville (50-15), and Triad (64-9) Friday afternoon in their first action since finishing sixth in the Geneseo Tournament.

Gary Oxford led the way with pins of Jerseyville's Nick Blackorby (1:33 of period two) and Collinsville's Josh Allison (1:56 of period two) and a win by forfeit against Triad.

Also winning by fall were John Kelly (125), Jonas Janek (145) and George Kirgan against Jerseyville; Kirgan and Mike Glover (119) against Collinsville; and Kelly, Matt Werner (130) and Adame Dunnavant (112) against Triad.

The Warriors raised their record to 19-0 as they totally dominated the competition.

Things were not quite so easy at the Francis Howell Dual-Invitational Tournament on Saturday, though GCHS did finish second in the Gold Division, trailing Francis Howell 230-209.

David Thompson (152), Mark Derossett (215), and Nick Campbell (275) all won by fall in the first match as the Warriors humbled Marquette 68-6.

Parkway (West) was a little more trouble, but still came out on the short end of a 54-20 count. Werner, Janek, Thompson and Kevin Venne (189) all won by fall. Venne pinned Trey Morgan just 0:39 into the first period. Werner's pin also came in period one.

Against Marion, the Warriors again won big, 59-17. Oxford won by fall at 3:15 of the second period, and Ike Newman pinned Greg Miller at 2:47 of the same period.

In the premier match, Granite City and Francis Howell struggled to a 28-28 tie,

Wrestling polls
Tourney results
Page 4B

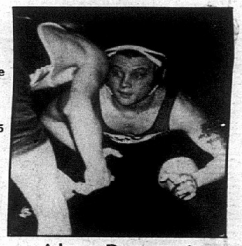
putting the first blemish on the Warriors' record (22-0-1).

Werner and Venne both won by fall while Oxford soundly beat Hiroshi Jacobs 14-2. Dunnavant lost an intense 17-15 match to Ben Garner.

Oxford dominated the 103-pound class on both Friday and Saturday, going 7-0 with four pins. He finished first in his weight class at the Francis Howell Tournament, outlasting Hazelwood Central's J.D. McKinney 4-2 in the finals.

Kirgan also finished first, pinning Keith Otten of Belleville (West) in the finals at 1:11 of the first period.

Other GCHS place winners were Glover (second, 119); Venne (second, 189); Justin Hale (3rd, 135), Janek (third, 145); Derossett (third, 215);



Adame Dunnavant

and Campbell (third, 275).

The Warriors next see action on Thursday when they host Cahokia at 6 p.m. All three levels will be wrestling.

Smith leads Warriors to consolation title after 1st-round loss

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

The Granite City Warriors basketball team did exactly what coach John Van Buskirk said they had to do following Thursday's first-round loss to Mt. Vernon in the Salem Invitational Tournament. They started another winning streak.

A 70-62 overtime win over Effingham on Saturday afternoon, followed by a 63-56 toppling of Charleston that evening, gave the Warriors the consolation championship at Salem.

GCHS, which has won five of its last six games, is 8-7 on the season.

Both games on Saturday featured a familiar scenario: Granite City building a sizeable lead only to watch it whittled away as their opponents come charging back. The Warriors led Effingham by 14 early in the third quarter and were comfortably ahead of Charleston in the second half. Effingham caught them at the end of regulation while Charleston merely made things uncomfortable in the closing minutes.

"For some unknown reason, we have trouble holding a big lead," said Van Buskirk. "If I knew the reason, I could correct the problem. Right now, we lack that killer instinct needed to put a team away. It is imperative that we learn to play with the lead."

GCHS grabbed an 18-15 first quarter advantage against Effingham and increased it to 34-27 at the half. The halftime lead was doubled by the time the Hearts came bounding back. They closed the gap to 47-43 after three quarters and were even with the Warriors, 57 all, at the end of regulation.

(See TITLE, Page 2B)



Jeff Hoenig and Justin Brewer team up to block a shot.

Saying later to cancer: Costas dinner is Feb. 8

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

Comedy, sports stars, good food and a chance to help a worthwhile cause.

That's the lineup for the ninth annual Bob Costas Celebrity Dinner, to be held Saturday, Feb. 8 at the Adam's Mark hotel in downtown St. Louis. Proceeds from the event — which has raised more than $2.5 million since its inception in 1988 — will go toward the Bob Costas Cancer Center.

The plan to build the center, announced at the 1996 Costas dinner, took nearly everyone by surprise — including Costas.

"When Bob and his family were in the process of moving back from the East Coast, I took him on a tour of the hospital, and he's been involved ever since," said Allen Allred, chairman of the planning committee for the dinner. "There are so many demands on him for charitable and community activities, and he does a fantastic job.

"That's why we decided to honor him this way. Cancer is the leading cause of death among children and it's an ideal way to fight cancer in Bob's name.



Costas

"That was the genesis of the Bob Costas Cancer Center. Prior to last year's dinner, the only people that knew were the president of the hospital and one or two people on his staff. Bob was totally blown away when we announced it. He never knew it was coming."

Costas is a native of Queens, N.Y. and grew up on Long Island, but has been a mainstay on the St. Louis sports scene since shortly after graduating from Syracuse University with a degree in journalism. At age 22, he landed a job at KMOX, one of the nation's most prominent stations. From

(See COSTAS, Page 2B)

GOLFUSA
10% Off Selected Golf Balls
$4.00 Off All X-Outs Golf Balls
Oakley Golf Glasses In Stock
Selected Golf Bags $40.00 Off
Save Up To 75% OFF Clothing
Unlimited Buckets Of Balls On Our Indoor Sportech Analyzer $4.95 Good Thru 3/15/97
Shoe Clearance Save Up To 50%
All Used Clubs 25% Off
FAIRVIEW HT. THRU FRI 9-7 SAT 9-6 SUN 12-6 GOLFUSA 397-828

•Costas

(Continued from Page 1B)

1974 through 1981, he broadcast a variety of live, play-by-play and studio programs.

A member of the NBC sports staff since 1979, Costas is most identified with the Olympics and major league baseball. He also had his own late-night program, "Later...With Bob Costas," which ended a 5½-year run in February 1994.

Costas has been actively involved with Cardinal Glennon for eight years and serves on the hospital's board of governors. The cancer center which will bear his name is still in the conceptual stages (with two construction plans being considered). The center — a "day hospital" — is scheduled to open in early 1998 and will be another key addition to what is already one of the nation's best children's hospitals.

"The idea is that not all children with cancer need to be in a hospital 24 hours a day," Costas said. "This will allow kids to live as close to normal a life as possible — going to school, going home and having social interaction in a familiar setting before coming in for treatment on a outpatient basis."

At first, Costas was uncomfortable with the idea of having such a facility named after him.

"I was very surprised and very touched," Costas said. "They didn't ask me about it beforehand because they knew I would say I didn't feel I deserved to have my name attached to it. There are a lot of people who have worked very hard and put in a lot of time, and they deserve the credit for this. But I'm more visible, and if being visible helps, I'm glad to lend my name to it.

"What distinguishes this from other banquets and affairs of thie type is that we always bring in national entertainment in addition to the local people, and this year it's Drew Carey.

"Through doing 'Later' and other things, I know a lot of people in the entertainment industry. I've never met Drew, but a mutual friend suggested we call him. Drew is from Cleveland, and that's where the NBA All-Star Game will be the day after the dinner. So after we're done here, we're all going to hop on a plane and go to Cleveland."

In addition to Carey — a stand-up comedian and the star of "The Drew Carey Show" on ABC, the entertainment lineup includes Jeff Cesario, St. Louisan Kathleen Madigan, retired St. Louis Cardinals shortstop and future Hall of Famer Ozzie Smith and Cardinals pitcher Todd Stottlemyre. This year's honoree is former Cardinals manager Whitey Herzog.

"It's been 10 years since Whitey managed the Cardinals' last pennant winner in '87, and Ozzie provides a connection between that era and the current club," Costas said. "Todd Stottlemyre wants to get involved with the hospital and will announce details of a plan where he'll donate a certain amount of cash to Cardinal Glennon for each strikeout. That not only provides money but publicity for the hospital, which is very helpful."

The evening starts with a cocktail hour at 6 p.m., with dinner at 7. The entertainment portion of the program, featuring Carey, Herzog and the rest of the crew, starts at 9 p.m. and will run for approximately two hours.

Tickets are $200 each and tables of 10 are available for $2,000. For more information, call the Cardinal Glennon development office at (314) 577-5605.

•Title

(Continued from Page 1B)

The extra session belonged to Granite City thanks to Ray Smith's hot hand early. The 6-4 senior sank a quick pair of jump shots, one a 3-pointer, and the Warriors were up 62-57 never to be headed.

Smith finished with a game-high 27 points. Justin Brewer scored 17, Kyle Briggs added 11, and Zach May contributed 10.

Against Charleston on Saturday night, the red and black jumped to a 19-14 first quarter lead and were in front 34-22 at the half, despite hitting only four of ten free throws in the second quarter.

"We had a chance to put Charleston away early by hitting our free throws and we just didn't do it," Van Buskirk said. Despite a 12 point lead, I wasn't very happy that we failed to put them away. And I made sure our players knew that."

Charleston cut the Granite lead to seven, 50-43, entering the fourth quarter and eventually caught the Warriors, but riding the shooting of Smith and May, GCHS pulled away for good.

Smith scored 25 points, Brewer tossed in 10, Jeff Hoenig hit for eight, and Briggs banged in six. May, a 5-9 freshman seeing a lot of recent action, had 14 points on four 3-pointers and two of three shooting from the line.

"I'm proud of our boys rebounding from the Mt. Vernon defeat to win the consolation championship," said Van Buskirk. "You have to come back. It's as simple as that. It's just part of the season. You have to work hard and come back from a loss and win games you have to win."

A key element in the Warriors' wins at Salem was Smith. Smith, who was selected to the all-tournament first team, led all players in scoring with 69 points, an average of 23 per game. He was narrowly edged by Edwardsville's Jim Dougherty for tournament MVP.

"He's stepping forward," Van Buskirk said. "He's showing the senior leadership we need from him."

Mt. Vernon, first-round winners over GCHS, downed Centralia 61-49 in the semifinals before losing 69-52 to Edwardsville in the championship game.

•Madison

(Continued from Page 1A)

points, while the five Madison starters combined had only 21 points.

Madison started the second half with a 13-6 spurt, due in large part to a full-court press that forced a stacatto of Central turnovers.

The score was 40-38 in the Cougars' favor at 2:46 of the third quarter when a Tim Schumacher layup and a Brett Schulte 3-pointer widened the gap to 45-38 only 30 seconds later. Central was in front 49-44 with a quarter to play.

The Trojans shut out Markus in the third quarter, but Becker continued to have his way underneath. He strong-armed his way to three baskets in three tries. Madison's only consistent inside scores came on penetration by Baker, but Demond Simms hit three high-arching shots from beyond the arc to keep the pressure on Central.

Madison closed within 51-47 at the 5:58 mark of the final frame before the game's key play unfolded.

Baker was whistled for his fourth foul with 5:37 left. Almost immediately, he drew a technical. The technical counted as his fifth foul, and the Madison floor general was gone from the game.

"The Baker technical really hurt," said Madison coach Al Collins. "When I asked the ref why they called a technical, he told me it was because Baker jumped up and threw his arms up flamboyantly. Kids had been doing that all game long."

The Cougars missed both free throws off the foul and the first off the technical. When they turned the ball over after inbounding it, they had managed to score only one point out of a possible seven.

Jerrind Howard, a 5-10 senior, ran the Madison offense in Baker's absence.

Central opened a 54-47 lead on Joe Santel's fast-break layup, but Tywansley Pattin's slam dunk and McGirt's five-foot jumper and pair of free throws brought Madison to within a point with 3:10 remaining.

The Cougars' went quickly up by four, but Howard's layup off the penetration dribble at the 1:00 mark made it 59-57.

Becker's shot off an offensive rebound gave Central a 61-57 edge with 0:51 left. But Kevin Bradley countered with a layup 10 seconds later and the margin was two again, 61-59.

Markus hit one of two free throws with 0:33 to play, and when Howard again worked his way inside for a layup at the 0:23 mark, Madison was once more within one, 62-61.

Unable to force a turnover, the Trojans had to foul. The Cougars hit four free throws in the last 12 seconds to seal the win.

Madison spread their scoring well among their starters. Simms led the way with 16 points, McGirt and Bradley both had 10, Baker put in nine and Pattin scored eight.

Markus had 14 for Central, but only one field goal in the game's last 20 minutes. Becker, however, was unstoppable. His 25 points led all scorers.

The Trojans led all participants by placing three men on the all-tournament team. Pattin and Simms were second-team selections while first team honors went to Baker.

•Hornets

(Continued from Page 1B)

ter. Binsbacher added 12 points, but did not score the final 11:43 of the game. Tyler and Todd Peck netted six points apiece, Kelly Norwood had five, David Kessler four, Brian Wuebbels two and Kenny Mueth one.

Nashville's frighteningly mature sophomore guard tandem of Brad Fischer (6-0) and Kelly Cruser (5-11) led the Hornets' attack with 17 and 14 points, respectively. Senior Jim Middleton added nine and Brian Piasecki, another sophomore, added eight.

Breese Mater Dei, 58-53 losers to Mascoutah in the opening round, roared untouched to the consolation championship while crosstown rival Central edged Madison 66-61 for the tournament title.

Sports shorts

Park softball

The Granite City Park District Women's and Coed Softball organizational meeting for 1997 will be held 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29 at the Harold Brown Recreation Center, located at Franklin and Amos Avenue.

The Men's and Church Softball organizational meeting for 1997 will be held 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 30, also at the Harold Brown Recreation Center.

The Park District's Baseball and Ponytail Softball meeting for 1997 will be held 7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 28 at the Harold Brown Recreation Center. It is important that all teams be repesented, since rules and regulations will be discussed. The meeting is also for all team managers from last year's programs and for those interested in managing a team this year.

For more information, call Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office (877-3059).

Want $25,100 for college?

The Army Reserve can help you take a big bite out of college expenses.

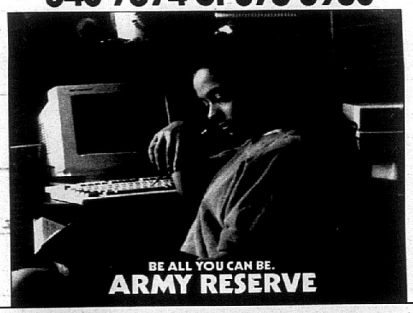
How?

If you qualify, the Montgomery GI Bill could provide you with up to $7,124 for college or approved vo/tech training.

We'll also pay you over $107 a weekend to start. Training is usually one weekend a month plus two weeks' Annual Training. By adding the pay for Basic Training and skill training, you'll earn over $18,000 during a standard enlistment.

So, if you could use a little financial help getting through school–the kind that won't interfere with school–stop by or call:

345-7874 or 878-5950



BE ALL YOU CAN BE.
ARMY RESERVE

THERMAL REPLACEMENT WINDOWS
Granite City Glass
1837 Madison Ave.
877-5400

DAILY LUNCH AND DRINK SPECIALS
FISH EVERY FRIDAY DURING LUNCH HOUR
BEST BURGER IN TOWN
3 ELECTRONIC DART BOARDS
Kramden's
BAR & GRILLE
1348 Madison Avenue, Madison, Il
Bar & Grille - (618) 451-1515

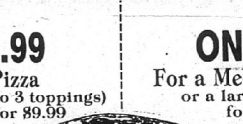


Call For A Free Bath Estimate
Schifferdecker
Kitchen • Baths • Interiors
747 East Main • Belleville, IL • 235-6200

YOU ARE ALWAYS ON THE WINNING TEAM AT
PIZZA HUT
Hey, its Wintertime, and there's no better time for Pizza Hut Pizza.
'Cause you'll love the stuff we're made of.
Let us do your cooking for those special occasions.

ONLY $7.99
For a Med. Pizza
Topped your way (up to 3 toppings) or a Large Pizza for $9.99

ONLY $9.99
For a Med. Specialty Pizza or a large specialty pizza for just $11.99
Choose from: Cheese Lover's Plus®, Pepperoni Lovers®, Veggie Lovers®, Supreme, Meat Lovers® Super Supreme, New Chicken Supreme



ONLY $12.99
For 2 Med. Pizzas
Topped your way (up to 3 toppings) or 2 Large Pizzas for just $16.99

ONLY $14.99
For 2 Med. Specialty Pizzas or 2 large specialty pizzas for just $18.99
Choose from: Cheese Lover's Plus®, Pepperoni Lovers®, Veggie Lovers®, Supreme, Meat Lovers® Super Supreme, New Chicken Supreme

1533 Johnson Rd., Granite City • 877-5404
and (Delivery Only at) No. 9 Nameoki Village, Granite City • 451-8855

DIRT CHEAP
CHECK OUT OUR PRICES
CIGARETTES
LOWEST PRICE GENERIC $8.39 Carton
PRIVATE STOCK $8.99 Carton
PYRAMIDS $8.99 Carton
BEECHNUT CHEWING TOBACCO 3 Pack $3.58
TROPHY CHEWING TOBACCO 2 Pouches For $1.79
SURGEON GENERAL'S WARNING: QUITTING SMOKING NOW GREATLY REDUCES SERIOUS RISKS TO YOUR HEALTH
COLD BEER
DIRT CHEAP PREMIUM, LIGHT OR NON-ALCOHOLIC BEER 24 Can Pack $6.89
BRINGING NEW ZEST TO ST. LOUIS GATHERINGS
LIQUOR
QUEEN ANNE SCOTCH $11.79 1.75 Liter
CLUB HOUSE VODKA $8.09 1.75-LITER
IMPORTED CANADIAN SUPERIOR CANADIAN WHISKEY $4.95 750 ml.
"THE LAST REFUGE FOR THE PERSECUTED SMOKER" THANK YOU! WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR YOUR BUSINESS!
4327 Telegraph • 3 Blocks South of 255 (I-270)
845-7709
MON.-THURS. 8 am-9 pm
FRI. & SAT. 8 am-10 pm
SUN. 11 am-6 pm
(PRICES SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

PAID ADVERTISEMENT
Pain may be eliminated for millions
(SPECIAL)-- A drug that is exciting researchers in the treatment of pain has been formulated into a new product known as "Arthur Itis," and is being called a "Medical Miracle" by some, in the treatment of debilitating conditions such as arthritis, bursitis, rheumatism, painful muscle aches, joint aches, simple backache, bruises, and more. Although the mechanism of action is unclear, experiments indicate that Arthur Itis, relieves pain by first selectively attracting, and then destroying the messenger chemical which carries pain sensations to the brain, thus eliminating pain in the affected area. Arthur Itis, is available immediately without a prescription in an odorless, greaseless, non-staining cream or new easy applicator liquid form. Arthur Itis, is guaranteed to work or your money back. Use only as directed.
© 1996 Stellar Health Products, Inc
AVAILABLE AT:
Medicine Shoppe
3675 Nameoki Rd.
451-4200

A-1 RENTAL, Inc.

1200 Belt Line Rd.
Collinsville
345-6050

2470 Troy Rd
Edwardsville
692-6363

PROPANE CYLINDERS FILLED
WHILE YOU WAIT

NO CHARGE
FOR INSPECTION OF
OUTDATED CYLINDERS

Journal Writers' Poll
Boys Basketball

LARGE SCHOOLS

1. DeSmet (18-1)....70
2. CBC (14-3)....63
3. Parkway Central (17-2)....56
4. Belleville East (15-3)....46
5. Hazelwood East (14-2)....40
6. Vashon (14-2)....34
7. Lafayette (14-3)....27
8. Edwardsville (13-2)....15
9. Riverview Gardens(9-7)....14
10. Troy (14-2)....7

Also receiving votes: Lindbergh (15-2), Mascoutah (12-4) St. Charles West (14-4), Francis Howell (11-8) and DeSoto (11-3).

SMALL SCHOOLS

1. South County Tech (10-0). 70
2. Madison (13-4)....63
5. Rosary (12-4)....52
6. Venice (11-4)....48
3. John Burroughs (11-3)....44
4. Freeburg (12-8)....34
7. Metro East Lutheran (13-1)... 29
8. Lutheran South (9-5)....24
9. Berkeley (9-8)....6

Also receiving votes: Crystal City (8-4), Columbia (10-4), MICDS (10-6), Gateway Christian (16-4), Duschene (9-7), St. Charles (8-11), Principia (7-4) and Festus (6-3).

Cardinals Team of the Week

Sponsored by Alliance BlueCross BlueShield



A Collinsville U-12 girls soccer team won its age group in the indoor Tournament of Champions, held last month at the Ballpark Sports Center. Team members include (front row from left) Ashley Steinwagner, Kim Reiniger, Dori Mitan, Heather Schnicker; (middle row) Jessica Thorpe, Nikki Martin, Andrea Beckman, Tiffany Welmon, Beth Stack and (back row) Heather Potter, Jennifer Harris, Amber Beard and Sarah Tognarelli. Pictured with the team are coach Jim Steinwagner (left) and coach Tom Reiniger.

PRICED-TO-GO

EVERY NEW TIRE IN THIS AD INCLUDES ABSOLUTELY FREE: FREE
★ MOUNTING
★ BALANCING
★ VALVE STEM
★ ROTATION

COMPETITORS CHARGE UP TO $20 MORE PER TIRE FOR THESE SERVICES. WE OFFER THEM FREE!
*Except Economy & Michelin

MICHELIN® X One®

SIX YEAR UNLIMITED MILEAGE

More than a rain tire, all-season tire, or long-mileage tire. It's a whole new category. Of One.

For better wet traction than any rain tire. Plus more control in more conditions for more miles than any other tire.

MANY SIZES AVAILABLE!
CALL FOR YOUR SIZE & PRICE!

Road Hazard Available Upon Request

MICHELIN® RAINFORCE MX4

P185/75R14	WW	$72
P195/75R14	WW	76
P205/75R14	WW	81
P205/75R15	WW	84
P215/75R15	WW	88
P225/75R15	WW	93
P235/75R15	WW	98
P215/70R14	WW	90
P205/70R15	WW	89
P215/70R15	WW	95
P205/65R15	RRBL	89
P215/65R15	RRBL	95

Road Hazard Available Upon Request

SUPER VALUE $AVINGS

4 for $109
(P155/80R13)
INCLUDES MOUNT, BALANCE, & ROTATION!

TREAD MAY VARY

SIZE	ECONOMY*	45,000 MILE	55,000 MILE	70,000 MILE
P155/80R13	$27.95	$39	$49	$55
P165/80R13	—	44	50	56
P175/80R13	37	45	51	57
P185/80R13	39	46	54	59
P185/75R14	41	47	56	63
P185/70R14	—	51	58	63
P195/75R14	43	48	57	64
P195/70R14	—	53	59	64
P205/75R14	45	51	59	65
P205/70R14	—	54	60	66
P215/75R14	—	55	63	71
P205/75R15	46	54	61	68
P205/70R15	—	55	62	71
P215/75R15	47	57	63	72
P215/70R15	—	58	65	72
P225/75R15	48	58	67	75
P235/75R15	49	59	69	78

UNIROYAL® DRIVING DEPENDABILITY HOME.®

TIGER PAW ASC
ALL SEASON RADIAL

FREE ROAD HAZARD

- 45,000 Mile Limited Treadwear Warranty*
- DuraShield® construction for durability
- Quiet tread pattern
- Good handling, good value

*See warranty brochure for details.

P155/80R13	WW	$44
P175/80R13	WW	49
P185/80R13	WW	52
P185/75R14	WW	51
P185/70R14	WW	52
P195/75R14	WW	52
P205/75R14	WW	54
P205/70R14	WW	59
P205/75R15	WW	56
P215/75R15	WW	58
P215/70R15	WW	59

HIGH PERFORMANCE
HR SPEED RATED
LOW PROFILE BLACKWALL

175/65HR14	$54
185/65HR14	56
195/65HR15	64
205/65HR15	71
185/60HR14	58
195/60HR14	63
195/60HR15	66
205/60HR15	71
215/60HR15	73
225/60HR15	75

PERFORMANCE
50,000 MILE
RAISED WHITE LETTERS

P185/70SR13	$54
P205/70SR14	62
P215/70SR14	65
P225/70SR15	68
P255/70SR15	77
P215/65SR15	66
P215/60SR14	65
P235/60SR15	73
P275/60SR15	85

METRIC
40,000 MILE
ALL SEASON BLACKWALL

145SR13	$33
155SR13	38
165SR13	40
165SR15	47
165/70SR12	41
175/70SR13	43
185/70SR13	45
185/70SR14	45
195/70SR14	49
205/70SR14	51

UNIROYAL® DRIVING DEPENDABILITY HOME.®

LAREDO AWP
DURABLE LIGHT TRUCK RADIAL

NEW

- DuraShield® construction for durability, puncture resistance, and long tread life
- Quiet, smooth passenger tire ride
- Reliable, all weather light truck traction
- Perfect for sport utility vehicles

Raised Outline White Letters

P235/75R15	$89
P265/75R15	109
LT235/75R15/6	102
LT225/75R16/8*	102
LT245/75R16/10*	109
LT265/75R16/6	116
LT215/85R16/8*	108
LT235/85R16/10*	108
30/9.50R15/6	102
31/10.50R15/6	109

*Blackwall

Our Price Includes: FREE
- MOUNTING
- BALANCING
- VALVE STEMS
- LIFETIME ROTATION
- ROAD HAZARD POLICY

MANY OTHER SIZES AVAILABLE! CALL FOR YOU SIZE & PRICE!

LIGHT TRUCK RADIALS

4 FOR $209
P205/75R14/4

FREE!
- MOUNTING
- BALANCING
- VALVE STEMS
- ROTATION

RAISED OUTLINE WHITE LETTERS	*ECONOMY	PREMIUM ALL SEASON	MUD LUG
P205/75R14/4	$52.95	$71	$—
P215/75R15/4	66	75	76
P235/75R15/4	71	83	85
LT235/75R15/6	88	103	105
30x9.50R15/6	91	105	106
31x10.50R15/6	96	114	114
33x12.50R15/6	—	133	137
BLACKWALL			
LT215/85R16/8	96	109	—
LT235/85R16/10	99	119	119
LT245/75R16/10	—	120	129
LT265/75R16/6	102	120	125
8.75R16.5/8	—	111	122
9.50R16.5/8	—	124	135

*+ FET TAX TREAD MAY VARY

Can't Find Your Size? Call For Your Size & Price!

SUPER SERVICE SPECIALS

FLUSH & FILL $39.95
- Flush & Fill Radiator
- Inspect Radiator & Pressure Test System For Leaks
- Inspect Belts, Hoses & Clamps
- Inspect Water Pump
- Includes up to 1 Gallon Antifreeze

MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS • NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS

BRAKE SERVICE $59.95
- Install New Front Disc Pads
- Bleed Lines (SEMI METALLIC SERVICE EXTRA)
- Resurface Rotors
- Repack Wheel Bearings
- Inspect Calipers
- Road Test (NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS)

MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS

LUBE • OIL • FILTER $15.95
- Drain Oil
- Change Filter (NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS)
- Lube Doors
- Top Off Fluids
- Inspect Belts and Hoses
- Includes up to 5 qts 10W30 Oil

MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS

ALIGNMENT
$29.95 TWO WHEEL · $39.95 THRUST ANGLE · $49.95 FOUR WHEEL

Free Suspension Inspection with purchase of alignment. Precision align front or rear wheel caster/camber and toe-in (on cars with adjustable suspension). Computerized wheel alignment. Rear wheel shims extra.

MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS
NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS

SHOCKS $99.00 INSTALLED
4 HEAVY DUTY GAS-CUSHIONED SHOCKS
MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS • NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS

STRUTS $139.95 INSTALLED (AND UP)
MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS • NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS

ROTATE & BALANCE
4 WHEELS
$19.95
CUSTOM WHEELS EXTRA
MOST CARS & LIGHT TRUCKS
NOT VALID WITH OTHER COUPONS

HOURS:
MON-FRI. 8-6 pm
SAT. 9-4 pm

FIRST CHOICE TIRE CO.
3825 PONTOON RD. • PONTOON BEACH
931-3201

JIM WILLIAMS
OWNER

BILL FALLIS - Align.
JOE PATES - Mech.

SERVING THE PONTOON GRANITE CITY AREA SINCE 1972

Tourney results

10,12
KYLE THRASHER MEMORIAL WRESTLING TOURNAMENT
(at Francis Howell)

Team Standings
Blue Division

1. Hazelwood Central (HC) 185; 2. Belleville West (BW) 178; 3. Francis Howell North (FHN) 172; 4. Northwest House Springs (NW) 134; 5. Rockwood Summit (RS) 87.

Gold Division

1. Francis Howell (FH) 230; 2. Granite City (GC) 209; 3. (tie) Marion (M), Parkway West (PW) 111; 5. Marquette (MQ) 57.

Individual Results

103 pounds — Championship: Gary Oxford (GC) dec. J.D. McKinney (HC), 4-2; Third place: Tim Dillon (FHN) dec. Hiroshi Jacobs (FH), 8-1.

112 — Championship: Ben Garner (FH) dec. Ken Brummet (HC), 11-4; Third place: Tory Cunningham (M) dec. David Egley (FHN), 8-4.

119 — Championship: Sean Fowler (FHN) tech. fall Mike Glover (GC), 36-11; Third place: Chris Kegley (FH) dec. Marty Buehler (RS), 13-8.

125 — Championship: Alex Kyle (FH) pinned Jeremy Klotz (BW), :36; Third place: Jim Romeo (PW) major dec. Tyson Lamm (HN), 12-4.

130 — Championship: Andy Raine (M) dec. Doug Applegate (NW), 13-8; Third place: Bryan Oehler (FHN) dec. Chad Vogel (MQ), 3-2.

135 — Championship: Jim Crutchfield (FHN) dec. Alex Ball (PW), 8-6 OT; Third place: Justin Hale (GC) dec. Ben Dinwiddie (HC), 10-6.

140 — Championship: Kraig Johnson (FHN) major dec. Adam Wehrmeister (PW), 17-8; Third place: Brian Lucido (HC) pinned Josh Plummer (FH), 3:41.

145 — Championship: Zack Stephens (FH) dec. Brian Struckmann (FHN), 6-5; Third place: Jonas Janek (GC) pinned Matt Schewe (BW), 3:56.

152 — Championship: Josh Overy (FHN) dec. Mike Sander (FH), 5-2; Third place: Kurt Rujawitz (BW) major dec. Randy Blamenstock (M), 13-5.

160 — Championship: Mike Bloss (FH) major dec. Rick Stark (NW), 11-2; Third place: Kurt Seabaugh (MQ) dec. Kevin Foster (BW), 2-1.

171 — Championship: George Kirgan (GC) pinned Keith Otten (BW), 1:11; Third place: Ben Smith (FH) dec. Nick Todd (HC), 8-3.

189 — Championship: Randy Orton (HC) dec. Kevin Venne (GC), forfeit; Third place: Dan Wier (BW) dec. Kevin Wheeler (FH), 6-1.

215 — Championship: Frank Yoder (NW) dec. Zack Abron (FH), 17-15; Third place: Jeremy Sprehe (HC) pinned Mark Derossett (GC), 5:36.

HWT — Championship: B.J. Bertelsman (BW) pinned Ben Robinson (PW), :49; Third place: Nick Campbell (GC) pinned Rich Pauley (NW), 1:48.

Journal Writers' Poll
Wrestling

WRESTLING

Team (Last week's rank)..... Votes

1. St. Charles West (1)..... 69
2. Oakville (4)..... 61
3. Granite City (2)..... 52
4. Francis Howell (5)..... 51
5. Fox (3)..... 48
6. Edwardsville (7)..... 30
7. Parkway South (8)..... 22
8. McCluer (9)..... 20
9. Collinsville (6)..... 14
10. Hazelwood Central (10)..... 6

Also receiving votes: Lindbergh, Francis Howell North, Layayette.

How to make this decorative
Hideaway Hutch
from the craft experts at

FRANK'S® NURSERY & CRAFTS
Where Beautiful Things Begin



Here's another of our great creative projects from our library of instruction sheets. This decorative hideaway hutch can be placed in the kitchen or bathroom and used for hand towels, scented soaps, etc. It'll also make a great bedroom addition for neckties, necklaces and anything else.

Materials needed:
One unfinished hideaway hutch
One package fine sandpaper
One 2" paint brush
One fine tip paint brush
One decorator block kit (grapevine)
2-oz. ivory acrylic paint
2-oz. eggplant purple acrylic paint
2-oz. light purple acrylic paint
2-oz. dark forest green acrylic paint
2-oz. raw sienna acrylic paint
One white hand or finger towel

Step 1
Lightly sand any rough edges on the hutch and wipe away the sawdust because it will stick in your paint. Pull all four knobs off the hutch. Paint them and the round feet on the bottom raw sienna. Set knobs aside to let dry. Now pull out the drawer, paint the face of it ivory and set it aside to dry. Paint the entire hutch, except at the round feet, ivory. Let hutch dry to the touch (about 5 minutes), then re-insert the drawer.

Step 2
Open the decorator block kit and read the directions completely. Following the directions, apply the pattern to hutch. Start with light colored grapes first, then print dark purple grapes, overlapping the light purple grapes. Follow the same procedure with the leaves. Add the vines last. Attach the knobs to the drawer and doors. Repeat step 2 for the hand towel.

Shop any of these ten convenient Frank's locations

ST. CHARLES
4630 Hwy. 94 N. Outer Rd. (314) 926-8355
ST. CHARLES
3725 Harry S. Truman (314) 947-7148
BRIDGETON
12253 St. Charles Rock Rd. (314) 298-7667
OVERLAND
8901 Page (314) 429-5155
NORTH COUNTY
11015 Old Halls Ferry (314) 355-6534
BALLWIN
15031 Manchester Rd. (314) 256-8777
KIRKWOOD
1135 S. Kirkwood (314) 821-8866
SHREWSBURY
125 Kenrick Plaza Dr. (314) 962-8878
ST. LOUIS
4650 Lansdowne (314) 351-4010
FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS, IL
110 Commerce Lane (618) 397-1251

Pick up additional instruction sheets at Frank's...they're free!

Watch Sunday's Journal for more tips from the experts at Frank's!

Immediate Delivery



THE ALL NEW GERMAN-BORN
Catera by Cadillac



ELDER
10400 West Main, Belleville, IL
Cadillac Oldsmobile AURORA 397-8200

SALE — GIGANTIC YEAR-END CARPET SALE — SALE

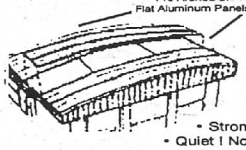
KANGABACK CARPET (Has Pad Attached) Commercials - Plushes - Sculptured - Starting at	$3.95 SQ. YD.
ARMSTRONG TARKETT VINYL 12' Wide Starting at	$3.95 SQ. YD.
ROOM SIZE CARPET REMNANTS Sizes 9'x12' up to 12'x15' - Starting at	$2.99 SQ. YD.
COMMERCIAL CARPET 12'&15' Widths - 10 Year Wear - 20 Colors	$4.95 SQ. YD.
1/8" COMMERCIAL TILE 12"X12" (while supply lasts) Odd lots - 45 sq. ft. per carton - Reg. $40.00 per carton	$10.00 per carton
REBOND PADS (Remnants) (while supply lasts) 1,000 SQ. YDS. - 3/8" - 1/2" - 9/16" REG. $2.00 TO $3.00 SQ. YD.	$1.00 SQ. YD.

ALL BRANDS AVAILABLE CALL FOR PRICES — CALL NOW 345-9061 — EXPERT INSTALLATION AVAILABLE

CARPET KING
8600 COLLINSVILLE ROAD
COLLINSVILLE, IL
345-9061

JOE'S CARPET
10321 LINCOLN TRAIL
FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS, IL
398-9946

ATTENTION MOBILE HOME OWNER!
SUPER SYSTEM
is the Ultimate Solution for a Problem Roof!



- Reduces Heating & Cooling Costs.
- Maintenance Free.
- Built In Overhang & Guttering Eliminates Water Streaks On Side Of Home.
- No More Roof Coating Year After Year.
- Strong Enough To Stand On.
- Quiet ! No Roof Rumble Or Rattle.
- Eliminates Condensation & Water Problems

Standing seam design on top of 2" polystyrene insulation form the energy efficient SUPER SYSTEM. FINANCING AVAILABLE.

MIDWEST THERMAL MAX
Call Toll Free 1-800-235-6646 ext. 684

Now Is The — FOR SMART SAVINGS — At Jack Schmitt O'Fallon

97 CUTLASS SUPREME
MSRP: $19,500
SALE $18,621.75

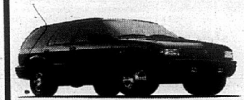


97 Cutlass Supreme Sedan V-6, P/W, P/L, Tilt Cruise, Alloy Wheels and Mold.

$269 per month

*48 Mo Low Milage Smart Lease, with 1,248 Down. Does not include L/C, Title & Taxes. Doc Fee First Payment or Security Deposit.

97 BRAVADA
MSRP: $31,317
SALE $29,021.46



$399 per month

97 Bravada AWD, Leather, P/W, P/L, P/S, Remote Entry, Loaded with Options

*36 Mo Low Milage Smart Lease, with 1,759 Down. Does not include L/C, Title & Taxes. Doc Fee First Payment or Security Deposit.

Jack SCHMITT O'FALLON (618) 632-1000
In The Heart Of The Metro East



HOUSER'S
Discount Tire & Auto Parts
HOURS: MON - FRI. 8am - 5 pm SAT. 8 - 4 pm
1749 Madison Ave. Granite City
451-7446

Every New Tire Purchase Includes:
FREE MOUNTING! BALANCING! VALVE STEMS!

SPECIAL BUY SUPER RIDE Built By Kelly
35,000 MILE ALL SEASON RADIAL
4 FOR $99



SIZES 13"	4 For	SIZES 14"	4 For	SIZES 15"	4 For
P175/80R13 P185/80R13	$149	P185/75R14 P195/75R14 P205/75R14	$169	P205/75R15 P215/75R15 P225/75R15 P235/75R15	$189
$37.25 ea. - 2 For $74.50		$42.25 ea. - 2 For $84.50		$47.25 ea. - 2 For $94.50	

SUPER VALUE MERIT 4 SEASON Built By Cooper
50,000 MILE ALL SEASON RADIAL
FREE ROAD HAZARD POLICY
4 For $169 — 4 For $189 — 4 For $199



SIZES 13"	SIZES 14"	SIZES 15"
P165/80R13 P175/80R13 P185/80R13	P185/75R14 P195/75R14 P205/75R14	P205/75R15 P215/75R15 P225/75R15 P235/75R15
$42.25 ea. - 2 For $84.50	$47.25 ea. - 2 For $94.50	$49.75 ea. - 2 For $99.50

OVERSTOCK SPECIAL
HERCULES MEGA IV



Premium All Weather Whitewall
Road Hazard Policy

P185/75R14	WW	$63
P195/75R14	WW	$65
P205/75R14	WW	$66
P205/75R15	WW	$69
P215/75R15	WW	$71
P225/75R15	WW	$73
P235/75R15	WW	$74

SPECIAL BUY
GOODYEAR RTS BLACKWALL
P205/75R15 BLK $59

PERFORMANCE SPECIAL
ROAD HUGGER
Built By Kelly



50-55-60-70 Series Steel Belted Performance Radial Raised White Letter or Blackwall

P195/50R15	BLK	$64
P205/50R15	BLK	$67
P225/50R15	BLK	$69
P245/50R16	BLK	$79
P205/55R16	BLK	$89
P295/50R15	RWL	$98
P185/60R14	BLK	$49
P215/60R14	RWL	$59
P195/60R15	BLK	$54
P205/60R15	BLK	$57
P235/60R15	RWL	$69
P215/65R15	RWL	$61
P205/70R14	RWL	$56
P215/70R14	RWL	$59
P225/70R15	RWL	$65
P235/70R15	RWL	$67

LIGHT TRUCK SUPER VALUE MERIT ALL COUNTRY Built By Cooper
45,000 MILE ALL SEASON RADIAL
FREE ROAD HAZARD POLICY
4 FOR $199



SIZES 15"	4 For	SIZES 15"	4 For	SIZES 16"	4 For
P215/75R15 P235/75R15	$269	LT235/75R15/6 30x9.50R15/6 31x10.50R15/6	$359	LT265/75R16/6 LT215/85R16/6 LT235/85R16/10	$379
$67.25 ea. - 2 For $134.50		$89.75 ea. - 2 For $179.50		$94.75 ea. - 2 For $189.50	

SUPER AUTOMOTIVE SERVICE SPECIALS

TRANSMISSION FLUID & FILTER CHANGE
$29.75



Up to 5 quarts of Fluid, Filter & Gasket
Most Cars & Light Trucks Expires February 28, 1997

MINOR ENGINE TUNE-UP
$28.75 4 cylinder
$38.75 6 cylinder
$48.75 8 cylinder



Includes: Remove And Replace Spark Plugs, 2 Point Engine Check (Parts Extra)
Most Cars & Light Trucks Expires February 28, 1997

BRAKE SERVICE
$59.75



Includes:
- REGULAR OR SEMI METALIC
- Install Front Disc Pads
- Resurface Rotors
- Repack Wheel Bearings
- Inspect Calipers
- Road Test

Most Cars & Light Trucks Expires February 28, 1997

4 WHEEL ROTATE & BALANCE
$19.75



Most Cars & Light Trucks Expires February 28, 1997

Holy Family releases honor roll names

Following are the lists of students who made the "high honors", in which the students must carry a 3.5 average or above on a 4.0 scale, or the "honors", in which the students must carry a 3.0 to 3.4 average. Both conduct and effort must be above average.

Fourth Grade - High honors: Emily Amberger, Jenna Benz, Jeremy Bledsoe, Anne Bosslet, Emily Carpenter, Emily Cook, Bridget Curtin, Emily Gavilsky, Melissa Geer, Chris Ginder, Steve Grant, Ryan Harrington, Shantae Hatter, Courtney Jerden, Sara Kromraj, Joi Kullum, Sara Lapusan, Kyle Mann, Amanda Marti, Alicia Morelan, Benjamin Motil, Monica Ozanich, Jessical Palmer, Andrea Patton, Brittany Renner, Emily Reutebuch, Maggie Ronk, Jennifer Schooley, Hillary Slover, Jamie Tucker and DeMarquis Young.

Honors: Zach Jarvis, Clarica Johnson and Andy Whitecotton.

Fifth Grade - High honors: Matthew Carmody, Vince Eckhard, Calin Foster, Brittany Fuzessary, Megan Gattung, Adam Grandidier, Jayme Hillmer, Bridget Hopkins, Cathrine Jansen, Erin Marler, Erin Marzluf, Katie Motil, Chris Reed, Benjamin Reyes, Andy Ribbing, Ashley Roberts, Jamie Rotter, Erin Sabol, Sarah Scaturro, Kaitlyn Schmidt, Whitney Sykes, Sarah Timko, Sean Tyler and Andy Unfried-Sigite.

Honors: Brian Bulva, Phillip Foley and Jason Vaughn.

Sixth Grade - High honors: Eric Brewer, Ryan Breckner, Brittney Bulva, Jessica Cavins, Jonathan Cavins, Adam Cochran, Jonathan Costello, Aaron Craft, Matt Gattung, Jessica Geer, Emily Hayes, Libby Kelley, Melissa Koishor, Jonathan Kozak, Brittany Kult, Andy Marti, Andy Mell, Jennifer Miller, Nicolas Patterson, Jaime Prazma, Luke Shipley, Jennifer VonNida and Sarah Whitecotton.

Honors: Natasha Atkinson, Crista Brissette, Becky Henson, Chris Hinds, Kyle Klobe and Maurice McGhee.

Seventh Grade - High honors: Eric Barger, Elliot Bosslet, Erin Brown, Katie Carpenter, Kara Dusky, Jada Foster, Thomas Harrington, Nicole Hicks, Joe Kramer, Frances Long, Annessa Martinez, Kelly Mushill, Paul Rotter, Jackie Schooley, Rachel Turek, Erin Tyler, Ted Wallace, Chrissy Webb, Tara Webb, Brian Werner, Frederick Williams and Josh Zellerman.

Honors: Jennifer Benz, Matt Breckner, Laura Richardson, Brian Unfried and Michael Vivod.

Eighth Grade - High honors: L'Erin Brown, Lindsay Bulva, Ashley Burdge, Scott Carney, Erika Cavins, Zac Cochran, Andrew Craft, Ben Hayes, Emily Kelahan, John Lusicic, Stacie Marler, Patrick Meredith, Penny Meyer, Sandy Miller, Sara Myers, Jessica Oates, Elizabeth Przygoda and Joshua Reyes.

Honors: Kim Deloney.

Scholars named

The Illinois Student Assistance Commission recently announced the 1997-98 Illinois State Scholars. Selection of State Scholars is based on a combination of SCT/SAT test scores and class rank at the end of the junior year. Of this year's scholars, two are students at Madison High School, Errin Turner and Sarah Miller.

Errin is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Turner. She plans to attend Washington University and major in art.

Sarah is the daughter of Cynthia Miller and D. Wayne Miller. She plans to attend either Eastern Illinois University or Southern Illinois University and major in education.



For Those Proud Parents, Grandparents, Lovers & Sweethearts

Display your darling Sweetheart in a Special Valentine Greeting. We will feature a picture of your cutie-pie along with a heart felt wish from you.

Your Valentine's Greeting HERE

Photo HERE

Name HERE

Wednesday, Feb. 12 $12.00 per picture

DEADLINE: Noon Thursday, February 6th

Bring In or Send To: Granite City Press Record Journal, 1815 Delmar Ave., Granite City, IL 62040

Or Call: 877-7700



THE SPINAL COLUMN



Gerald H. Bemis, D.C. Stephani M. Buhs, D.C.

Chiropractic is the largest drugless healing art in the world. It is licensed in all 50 states of America and is a recognized treatment by a majority of health insurance plans. Yet many people know very little about this profession.

Because a doctor of chiropractic works mainly with the spinal column, they are often thought of as a "back doctor". While it is true that back and neck complaints usually respond well to chiropractic treatment, there are many other conditions....also related to spinal misalignment....which can be helped by chiropractic.

Chiropractic makes it unnecessary to suffer from ill-health. Can chiropractic help YOU? Call us for the facts.

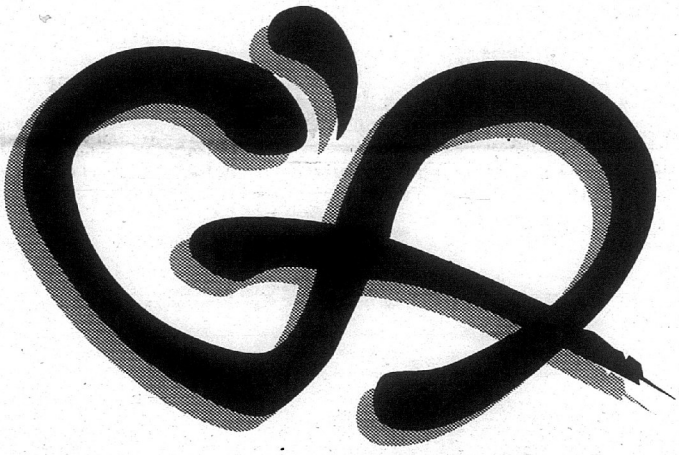
BEMIS CHIROPRACTIC

PROVIDERS FOR HEALTHLINK, METRA HEALTH, BC/BS AND MEDICARE

3361 Fehling Rd., Suite 7, Granite City, 876-2273

240 West Elm St., Alton, 466-5322

IF YOU'VE NEVER GIVEN A TEACHER AN APPLE, NOW'S YOUR CHANCE TO MAKE UP FOR IT.



THE GOLDEN APPLE AWARDS

ST. CLAIR SQUARE'S TEACHER RECOGNITION PROGRAM

St. Clair Square presents you with a golden opportunity to acknowledge an outstanding teacher through the Golden Apple Awards-our teacher recognition program developed with the endorsement of Jed Deets, Ed. D., Regional Superintendent of Schools in St. Clair County.

St. Clair Square's Golden Apple Awards were created to show support and appreciation for the teachers of St. Clair County while providing you with the opportunity to honor teachers whom you feel have made extraordinary contributions toward the education of our children.

All teachers currently teaching in St. Clair County public or private schools are eligible and may be nominated by either a parent, student, fellow staff member, administrator, or community member. Previous Golden Apple Award recipients, however, are not eligible.

A panel of judges, including retired teachers, representatives from the Regional Superintendent's Office, and representatives of St. Clair Square, will select 25 teachers. Each will receive a prestigious Golden Apple Award and be honored at the sixth annual Golden Apple Awards Ceremony, a festive celebration, to be held in May at St. Clair Square.

Golden Apple Awards Nomination

Teacher's Name _____

School _____

Subject/Grade Level _____

Your Name _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

I am a (check one):

☐ Parent
☐ Student*
☐ Fellow Staff Member
☐ Administrator
☐ Community Member

Along with this form, please include a letter (not more than two pages) describing the outstanding qualities of the teacher being nominated, as well as other pertinent information. Nominations will be accepted through Wednesday, February 19, 1997. Nominated teachers will be contacted for additional information. Please bring your nomination to the St. Clair Square Management Office or mail to:

The Golden Apple Awards
St. Clair Square
134 St. Clair Square
Fairview Heights, IL 62208

*Nominations by students are restricted to the teachers students have had in previous years and not during the 1996-1997 school year.

ST. CLAIR SQUARE

I-64 at Route 159 Fairview Heights

TABLE TOP GLASS
ANY SIZE & SHAPE
Granite City Glass
1837 Madison Ave.
877-5400

RAPID REFUND
Get Income Tax Money Back In 3 to 5 Days.
BERT'S RENTAL
1920 Delmar
Granite City
877-7600

Skate Corral
Skating Times
Hwy 159 • Glen Carbon

THURSDAY
7PM TO 9 PM
$2 Admission

FRIDAY
7:30 PM TO 11 PM
$5 Admission

SATURDAY
10 AM TO 12 NOON
$2.50 Admission
Kids Under 12 Only
1 TO 3 PM OR 3 TO 5 PM
$2 Admission
7:30 - 10 PM
$4 Admission

SUNDAY
1 TO 3 PM OR 3 TO 5 PM
$2 Admission

656-1369

Winter

fro

t

A visit to our studio is appreciated, and we will provide a MAKE UP SESSION.

FREE
You'll learn techniques that'll uncover a beautiful new you.
MERLE NORMAN
COSMETIC STUDIOS
The Place for the Beautiful Face.
3657 Nameoki Road
Granite City 876-7702
Hrs.: Mon.-Sat. 10AM - 7PM

VM Realty
COMPUTERIZED VISUAL MARKETING
1735 PONTOON RD.
931-2711
Thinking of Selling?
Now is the time, Call us!

JAN BONE 931-6324	JUDINE LUX 876-0488
CATHY BUSCH 877-6425	CHRIS MILLER 451-7474
KRISTI GLASGOW 782-3547	DEBBIE SANDER 782-7957
MARY HARPER 738-1890	VICKY WALTON 782-2016
JEANETTE HOLDER 931-2711/738-1888	BARB WYATT-YUST 738-2000/797-1222

DON'T FORGET VALENTINE'S DAY!
Fingertips Nail Salon
2126 B PONTOON RD.
877-8477
$5.00 off full set of nails
$30.00 for manicure & pedicure
BY APPT. ONLY
EXPIRES FEB. 28TH
GIFT CERTIFICATES AVAILABLE

ENTER TO WIN A FREE CRUISE AT
CARRIBEAN CUTS
Family Hair Care
BRING IN AD FOR $2 DISCOUNT
Perms $40.00 Spiral Perm $45.00
Shampoo, Cut & Style ONLY $10.00
NEXT TO LEROY'S MKT. 4085 PONTOON RD. 931-7626
PRICES GOOD THRU 2/13/97
HOURS: TUE 10-7 THURS 10-7 WED 10-5 FRI 10-5 SAT 10-2

INCREDIBLE!
VALENTINE'S DAY SPECIAL
Prime Rib
Carved to Order in our Dining Room from 5 - 9 P.M.
$10.95 with Soup, Salad Potato and Dessert
Ravanelli's Restaurant
Open Daily 11 A.M. - 10 P.M.
3 American Village Shopping Center
Granite City, IL 877-7029

JASS TOURS THE BEST!
Gambling Junkets TO Biloxi & Tunica, Miss.
JASS TOURS
Theresa 931-3542 Kendra 451-2807
Betty 931-6610

Nails by Kathleen
Top Quality Manicurist
Sculptured Nails by Licensed Professionals
Laura & Kathleen
Call 877-1000
3914 Nameoki Rd.
Best Service - Best Prices

OH! DID YOU KNOW ABOUT THE SPECIALS AT
C & H Tropic
Intersection of Pontoon Road & Missouri Ave.
876-0366
Full Service Center
Lube, Oil & Filter Pluse 20 pt. Inspection
$18.99 Everyday (Most Cars)
Brake Special $59.95 • Winterize $29.95
Firestone
19560R14 $56.48
6T23575R15 $83.41
Mastercraft A/S IV
• Value, all-season radial
• Single stripe whitewall
• All-weather tread
155R12 $31.77
18570R13 $38.65
19570R14 $45.65
20575R15 $43.92

PARTIES FOR ALL OCCASIONS
Bridal, Anniversary, Birthday, Graduation
Save $50
"RENT OUR HALL" MANAGERS SPECIAL
with this ad you can reserve our large beautiful hall for any available date after Jan. 1, 1997, for $50.00 off. This offer good for full hall rental (200 People or More) and is good until Feb. 28, 1997.
CROATIAN HOME
1000 Madison Ave. • Madison, IL • (618) 876-9368
Ask for Carl

QUICK!
STOP and LOOK! at the New Store In Town for that *UNIQUE*, one-of-a-kind novelty item you have been looking for, or a *QUALITY* custom sign for your business or special event!
PM graphics & signs
A Complete Graphic Design Studio
CUSTOM DECALS, SIGNS & GRAPHICS — FAST!
• *Auto Graphics* • *Trucks* • *Banners*
• *Custom Shirts & Hats* • *Novelty Items*
• *Trade Show Displays* • *Color Scanning*
— CAMERA READY —
• *Logo Reproduction & Design* • *Display Ads*
452-1954
3665 Nameoki Rd. *(The Mini Mall)* Granite City, IL

UNITED PARCEL SERVICE
It's not so much what we do, but how we do it.
1149 East Airline Dr.
Bethalto, IL
259-8689

VERNON'S ANTIQUE REPRODUCTIONS
EVERYDAY SPECIALS
on High Quality Furniture!
We have everything, from Roll Top Desks . . . to a Super Selection of Lamps!
The Most Unique Gifts for Sure!
Route 50 • Odin • 775-5360
~~235 N. Poplar • Centralia • 532-9501~~

WORLD CLASS
1535 Johnson Rd
Granite City, IL
451-1111
3012 Rt. 159
Glen Carbon, IL
656-6646
PIZZA WORLD Gourmet Pizza
PIZZA WORLD Gourmet Pizza
$2.00 OFF any order over $10.00

er Wonder from to

BRANSON
1997 PRE-SEASON SPECIAL
LIMITED AVAILABILITY
VALID FOR 1 YEAR FROM DATE OF PURCHASE
★ 3 DAYS & 2 NIGHTS LODGING IN ONE OF BRANSON'S FINEST HOTELS
★ ¼ MUSIC SHOW TICKETS TO ONE OF OVER 30 FABULOUS SHOWS
★ DISCOUNT COUPONS
$69.95 PER COUPLE
1-800-532-5943
Package is based on married couples & double occupancy. Restrictions & Qualifications apply. Transportation & Room tax not included. This offer presented by B & B Tours, Inc. Ref# 97-1075

WIN A CRUISE
CUT'S
Care
DISCOUNT
Perm $45.00
$10.00
HOURS:
TUE 10-7 THURS 10-7
WED 10-5 FRI 10-5
SAT. 10-2

FOREFRONT REALTY
SCOTT BORGER-MANAGER
LOCATED AT 2725 MADISON AVE. WELCOMES TO ITS SALES STAFF


CHARLIE PALUS HOME: 451-9988 OFFICE: 877-7577
CINDY SADLER PAGER: 782-7739 OFFICE: 877-7577
CALL US FOR YOUR REAL ESTATE NEEDS
★ ★ 877-7577 ★ ★

GREAT FOOD AND FUN!
LAST RESORT FOOD & DRINK
The Islander
Daily Lunch & Dinner Specials
(Eat In or Carryout) Full Menu Available Day & Night
FREE POOL SUN. & MON.
Mon.- $1.00 Bottles & Cans
Tues.- 50¢ Draft - Monster Taco $1.00
Wed.- Hot Wings - Special 30 Wings & Pitcher of Beer $10.00
Thurs.- 25¢ Draft - $1.50 Pitcher
Fri. & Sat.- "Time Bandits"
Delivery Available 11:00 AM to 1:30 PM And After 6:00 PM
3666 Highway 111 • Pontoon Beach, IL 62040
1/4 Mile South of Hwy. 162 • 931-3050

The HICKORY HOLLOW
DELICIOUS HICKORY SMOKED
BAR-B-Q
WE SPECIALIZE IN ANY SIZE CARRY-OUT
ADVANCE NOTICE REQUIRED FOR LARGE QUANTITIES
876-2646
BROADWAY AT MARKET
(Across from O'Dell's Iron & Metal)
VENICE - MADISON, ILLINOIS
HOURS: Tues., Wed., Thurs. 11:00-10:00 p.m.
Fri., Sat. 11:00 - Midnight
Sunday 11:00 - 8:00 p.m.
CLOSED MONDAY

s by een
icurist
Licensed
ls
hleen
00
ki Rd.
Prices

LOANS
CASH FROM $300 TO $50,000
•TAX REFUND CASH • Auto/Furniture/Other Purchases
• Auto/Debt Refinancing To Reduce Payments
• Home Improvement • Home Refinancing
• Re-Establish Credit After Bankruptcy
HEIGHTS FINANCE CORPORATION
3671 Nameoki Rd. • Granite City
Don Hodge Manager • 877-1404

Master Auto Care
Emissions Equipment
Master Master Auto Care
Computer Diagnostics • Free Estimates
Factory Trained Specialists
All Models Welcome • Domestic & Foreign
4192 Hwy. 162 • Granite City, IL
Corner of Hwy 111 • 8 Rt. 162
618-797-0291
15% Off
All Labor Charges With This Ad.

NORNBERG'S
HAS GREAT VALUES
307 MADISON AVE.
MADISON, IL
$5.00 OFF JUDY BOND BLOUSES LONG & SHORT SLEEVES - SIZES 8-18-38-46
$5.00 OFF SLIPOVERS - CARDIGANS - KNITS SIZES MED. - 3X LARGE - 38-52
$10.00 OFF BETTER DRESSES - 2 PC. SUITS SIZES 8 - 20 - 14½ - 24½
$3.00 OFF NANCY FROCKS SIZES 8 - 20 - 14½ - 32½
EXQUISITE BRAS & GIRDLES
$5.00 OFF MEN SPORT SHIRTS & KNITS SIZES - SMALL - 4X LARGE
OSH KOSH - UNIFORMS - BIB OVERALLS -COATS
PRICES GOOD THRU 9-28-96
HOURS: Mon.-Sat. 9AM-5PM
876-7655

CK!
t the New Store In
/E, one-of-a-kind
e been looking for,
m sign for your
event!
signs
esign Studio
, SIGNS FAST!
Banners
ovelty Items
or Scanning
• Display Ads
Granite City, IL

Restaurant Dining At It's Finest!
Sunday Dinner Buffet
The Area's Best! Join Us!
FROM 11 A.M. SUNDAYS - $8.75 Adults, 6-10 $5.25
Charlies THE EAST SIDE'S FAVORITE!
WHERE PEPPERLOIN IS PERFECTED
STEAKS • CHOPS • SEAFOOD • CHICKEN
LUNCH - DINNER - DAILY SPECIALS
LUNCHEON BUFFET EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM 11:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M. INCLUDES COFFEE & DESSERT $6.50
Charlies RESTAURANT & LOUNGE
5240 Nameoki Road • Granite City, Ill.
931-7310 • Rt. 203 So. at I-270 Exit 4
Open 11 AM Mon.-Fri., Open 5 PM Sat. • 11 AM Sun.

Tony Bono's HOOTERS 270
FREE BUFFET WEDNESDAY THURSDAY AND FRIDAY 4 PM TILL 6 PM
•POOL TABLES• •AIR HOCKEY• •FOOS BALL•
TUESDAY & THURSDAY D.J. starts at 9 PM $1.00 Long Necks
LUNCHTIME Try Our Daily Lunch Specials
Voo Dudes- 2/7 & 2/8 • Bay Wolf- 2/14 & 2/15
Interstate 270 & Hwy 111 • Pontoon Beach
• (618) 9321-3270 •

TAX SERVICE
GITCHOFF AGENCY
Individual, Business & Personal Returns
* Notary Public
* Bookkeeping
*16 Years Experience
Fax 877-2640 • 877-2006
1927 Edison Ave. • Granite City

LD ASS
A WORLD
Pizza
00 OFF
r over $10.00

XTRA SPECIAL VALUE WITH
BECKER'S HEATING and COOLING
Licensed & Bonded
For All Your Residential Heating and Cooling Needs!
CALL NOW:
MIKE BECKER - Owner/Operator
9 31-7520

YWAIT??
ST. JOHN CEMETERY
2901 Nameoki Rd. Est. 1863
2550 Maryville Rd. Est. 1996
Maryville Site Special
Buy One Grave Get The Next One Free
Example: Section 2M 1st grave $500 2nd grave FREE
Grave Prices: Section 1M $650
Section 2M $500
Section 3M $400
• Ph # 876-5811 •
Hrs: M-F 8 AM - 4 PM • Sat. by Appt. Only
Offer expires March 31, 1997

ZERO IN ON SAVINGS AT
VOORHEES INCOME TAX SERVICE
• Quick Refund
• Electronic Filing
• Professional and Reasonable
• Prompt 7 Days A Week
• Direct Deposit
Voorhees Tax and Bookkeeping
452-4820

Organization

The Drusilla Andrews Chapter of the DAR held its December meeting in the home of Georgia Engelke with eight members present.

Regent Linda Mizell opened the meeting by leading the group in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

A National Defense article entitled "Who Runs the Asylum?" was read by Barbara Williams; it dealt with allowing both legal and illegal immigrants, who are HIV-positive, to enter the United States and to receive health care courtesy of the American taxpayers. Alvina Thurau read the President General's message.

Judie Schatz, registrar, reported that she had invited some prospective members to the meeting but they did not attend. They appear to have family lines that are already DAR members.

Delegates to the national and the state conventions in the spring were elected. Nancy Emahiser, if her work schedule permits, will represent the group in Washington, D.C. because she resides in that area. Linda Mizell will represent the chapter at the state Meeting in Effingham in March and her alternate will be Barbara Williams.

It was reported that the DAR Good Citizen papers have been filled out and returned by the student from Madison and from Granite City. The Venice papers had not yet arrived.

Thurau reminded the group to start acquiring items to be taken to the Veterans' Hospital at Marion in the early summer. Among the welcome gifts are white socks, books, pencils, notebooks, shaving equipment, hand-made afghans and lap robes and other personal items.

Members were asked to total up their volunteer hours for the DAR Master Report Form for the past year (March through February).

Sandra Wilkinson and Williams conducted a Christmas program whereby members listened to a portion of a Christmas song and then classified it as sentimental, concerned for others, weather-related, etc.

Chapins to speak at Harvest Assembly

Phil and Kim Chapin will be ministering at Harvest Assembly at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 26.

Kim and Phil are the daughter and son-in-law of Dave Roever and work with Dave Roever.

They speak to hundreds of thousands of teen-agers annually in public schools with Dave conveying a positive motivational message of hope, love, courage, and respect for themselves and others.

Phil was a young unwanted, unloved, and abandoned child.

Because of problems in the family, Phil was often cared for by the black family that lived next door.

By the time Phil reached his teens he was sent out of California to live with an aunt in Oregon.

It was during that first year in Oregon that he met and befriended Lonnie Chapin. The Chapin Family took him in and loved him. For the first time in his life, Phil knew what it was like to experience real family love.

At the age of 18 Phil was adopted by the Chapins. Today, Phil loves life and lives it with enthusiasm.

Pastor Roy A. Boyer extends an invitation to all.

Harvest Assembly is located at 4598 Illinois 162 (at I-255) in Pontoon Beach. For information call 931-2500.

"We thought a fancy wedding was out of our budget.



Then we discovered renting."

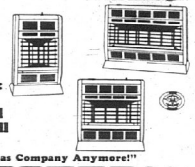
Discover what experienced wedding planners already know. Renting equipment is often the smart alternative to buying. Stop in and check out these great values!

A-1 RENTAL, Inc.
1200 Belt Line, Collinsville
2470 S. Hwy. 159, Edwardsville
345-6050 • 692-6363

Vent-Free Gas Heaters By EMPIRE Comfort Systems

No Electricity Needed!

ON SALE NOW!



Never Need Electricity To Operate - Even On Thermostat Models. There's A Size For Every Need: Room Addition, Basement or That Cold Spot In Your Home. Call Today:

"We're Not Just A Gas Company Anymore!"

MIDWESTERN

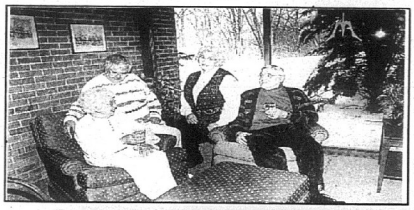
"The Difference Is 60 Years of Quality, Service & Satisfaction."

234-0524

418 S. Belt East • Belleville
(1 Block East of Fairgrounds)
Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8-5 • Sat. 8-12

"Did You Get Stuck in the Snow and Ice?"

While you were home-bound, stir-crazy and alone, residents at the Apartment Community were dining with friends, attending Sunday Mass, exercising, doing their banking, visiting the library and loving the stunning views - without ever having to step in the snow!



Don't be isolated - join the fun, make new friends, and thrive at the Apartment Community of Our Lady of the Snows! Call 1-800-533-6279, or (618)397-6700 today!

30 Years of Service to Christian Residents from 22 states and 3 Countries!

Call Today and ask for Dennis, Sue or Rita.

The Apartment Community
The National Shrine of Our Lady of The Snows

Consumer's Digest BEST BUY

New 97 Oldsmobile 88 Sedan

$195.00* DOWN



$395.00* MONTHLY

New 97 Oldsmobile 88 Sedan

Equipped with 4 Wheel Anti-Lock Brakes, 4 Speed, Automatic Transmission, Power Steering, Dual Air Bags, Power Driver's Seat, Power Windows, Power Door Locks, 3800 205 hp Engine, Air Cond., Illum. Vanity Mirrors, AM/FM Stereo Cassette, Power Antenna, Custom Accent Stripes, and More.

THIS IS A PURCHASE - NOT A LEASE!

Immediate Delivery

Dealer discount and factory incentive included.

*Terms based on 72 months, 9.5 APR with approved credit. Taxes, license, and title excluded. 09254 & 09267.

ELDER

10400 West Main, Belleville, IL

Cadillac Oldsmobile AURORA 397-8200

Champion® $24.99 to $29.99



Values to $68.00

Save 56%

Select from these three styles, most with GENUINE LEATHER Uppers in Men's sizes to 14

Huge Selection of Men's-Women's-Children's Famous Brands at Fabulous Savings!

Crown Shoes
A Great Deal More in Store!

10 CROSSROADS PLAZA
876-3766

Sale Starts Today

Representative styles shown. Styles & Name Brands may vary by store.

CUSTOMER SERVICE HOTLINE 1-800-353-SHOE

New Shipments Arriving Weekly - The Best in... • Selection • Name Brands • Top Value

Support groups have been in existence for many years. They can become a vital and positive influence in the lives of both patients and those who care about them. By providing information about their disease and how to live with it, support group members can create a better working partnership between patient and physician.

Memorial believes that support groups provide an opportunity for patients, along with their families and friends to discuss uncertainties and learn to place them in perspective. Better than any other technique, talking in a support group with people who share common problems, helps them understand that they are not alone.

The following is information about Memorial-sponsored support groups. For more information about these groups, call the Community Relations Department at 257-5649.

DIABETES
A mutual support group comprised of people with diabetes, their families and people who have had their lives affected by diabetes. Meetings are held on the fourth Monday of every month from 9 to 11 a.m. in the hospital auditorium.

FIBROMYALGIA SYNDROME
This support group is for people with fibromyalgia syndrome (FMS) and their families. FMS is considered to be a widespread musculoskeletal pain and fatigue disorder for which the cause is still unknown. Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month from 7 to 9 p.m. in the auditorium.

HOPE
Hospital Oncology Patient and Family Education was formed to assist cancer patients, former cancer patients and people who have their lives affected by cancer. The HOPE group meets the last Thursday of each month at 1 p.m. in the auditorium.

Support Groups at MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

4500 Memorial Drive
Belleville, Illinois 62226
(618) 233-7750

LUPUS
This support group is affiliated with the Illinois and Missouri Chapters of the Lupus Foundation of America. Meetings are held offering information and insight for coping with lupus on the third Tuesday of each month (except June - September) at 7:30 p.m. in the hospital auditorium.

MENDED HEARTS, INC. - BELLEVILLE CHAPTER
Mended Hearts is a volunteer organization consisting of people who have heart disease, their families, medical professionals and other interested people. Additionally, Mended Hearts members form a support group for one another, contributing emotional backing to recovering patients and their families. For more information, call Memorial's Social Service Department at 257-5420.

NU-VOICE
Conducted in cooperation with the American Cancer Society, the Nu-Voice Club is for laryngectomees - people who have had their voice boxes (larynxes) removed. Family members and friends are encouraged to attend. For more information about meeting dates and times, call the Speech Pathology Department at 257-5255.

PULMONARY REHABILITATION
A group for people with diseases of the lung and their families. Individuals with chronic lung disease and their families learn about the disease, as well as share ideas and solutions to their problems. Meetings are held on the last Wednesday of the month (except June - August) at 1:30 p.m. in the auditorium.

YOUNG ADULT CANCER
This mutual support group was formed for young adults with cancer and their significant others who are affected by the disease. Meetings are held on the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. in the auditorium.

Obituaries

Mary Stephens

Mary Jane (McKinnon) Stephens, 63, of Granite City died at 7:10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 24, 1997, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center where she had been a patient for three weeks. She was born March 22, 1933, in Mitchell and was a lifelong Granite City resident.

Mrs. Stephens owned and operated Cliff's Grill and Quad-City Cab in downtown Granite City for over 25 years.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clifford Stephens, who died in 1986; one son, Danny Stephens; and one brother, Bud McKinnon.

Survivors include two stepdaughters, Loretta Veasey of Granite City and Barbara Bayer Rogers of Broken Arrow, Okla.; one stepson, Leon Stephens of Steelville, Mo.; six stepgrandchildren and seven great-stepgrandchildren.

Services were held Monday, Jan. 27, at Thomas Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Don Stratton officiating. Burial was in St. John Cemetery.

James Ross

James "Jim" Gene Ross, 19, of Vicksburg, Miss., formerly of Granite City, died Saturday, Jan. 18, 1997, in Orlando, Fla.



Mr. Ross was born Jan. 30, 1977, in Granite City and resided here until moving to Vicksburg, Miss., five years ago. He was employed by Vornees Construction Co. of St. Louis as a drywaller and painter and of the Catholic faith.

Survivors include his father and stepmother, Larry and Jill Ross of Granite City; his mother, Phyllis (Susie) Ross of Vicksburg, Miss.; three sisters, Rebecca, Katherine and Doris J. Ross, all of Vicksburg, Miss.; one stepsister, Danielle Baxter of Fort Madison, Iowa; one stepbrother, Benjamin Baxter of Fort Madison, Iowa; paternal grandparents, Gene and Doris Ross of Granite City; and his maternal grandfather, Ed Solomon of Vicksburg, Miss.

He was preceded in death by his maternal grandmother, Katherine Solomon.

Visitation will be from 1-5 p.m. Saturday at Irwin Chapel, 3960 Maryville Road, Granite City. A memorial service is scheduled for 5 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1, at Irwin's Maryville Road Chapel with the Rev. Ron Zamkus officiating.

Memorials are suggested to Shriners Hospital.

P. Montgomery

Pauline E. (Warden) Montgomery, 65, of Collinsville died at 8:54 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 26, 1997, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. She was born Sept. 12, 1931, in East St. Louis.

Mrs. Montgomery was a member of Faith Chapel Baptist Church in Collinsville.

Survivors include her husband, Charles Montgomery, whom she married Dec. 31, 1992; four sons, the Rev. Robert Rushing of Evansville, the Rev. Jule E. Rushing of Collinsville, Ray H. Rushing of Granite City and Raymond H. Rushing of Sparta; five daughters, Mary Jane Kunsman of East St. Louis, Brenda S. Manning of Red Bud, Christine Carter of Collinsville, Kathleen Wilson of Sterling and Denise Schipper of Morrison; one brother, Lillard X. Warden Jr. of Mounds; one sister, Mary L. Gregory of Collinsville; 16 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, the Rev. Lillard and Elizabeth (Lawrence) Warden; one daughter, Diane E. Rushing; and one son, Joseph M. Rushing.

Services are scheduled for 10 a.m. today, Wednesday, Jan. 29, at Herr Caseyville Chapel, 300 W. Lincoln, Caseyville, with the Rev. Ron Habermehl officiating. Burial will be in St. John Cemetery, Collinsville.

Memorials are suggested to the American Diabetes Association.

Veda Rising

Veda Helen (Scott) Rising, 80, of Collinsville died at 5:10 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 25, 1997, at her residence. She was born Oct. 23, 1916, in Advance, Mo.

Mrs. Rising was a member of First Assembly of God Church in Collinsville.

Survivors include her husband, Marvin Ray Rising, whom she married Jan. 5, 1957, in Collinsville; two daughters, Shelba Bullard of Troy and Kathy Hardesty of Collinsville; three stepchildren, Galta Smith of Florida, Shirley Savage of O'Fallon and Irene Fisher of Virginia; one sister, Geneva Mattea of Caseyville; two brothers, Cledis Scott of Granite City and Darrell Scott of Collinsville; one half-brother, Lester Dale Wilson of Collinsville; 12 grandchildren and 25 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Tom and Leona (Hill) Scott; and two brothers, Virgil and Lloyd Scott.

Services are scheduled for 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 29, at First Assembly of God Church, 1105 Belt Line, Collinsville, with the Rev. Willis Wilson officiating. Burial will be in Lake View Memorial Gardens in Fairview Heights.

Memorials are suggested to First Assembly of God Church or Unity Hospice.

Arrangements were handled by Herbert A. Kassly Funeral Home, Ltd., 515 Vandalia, Collinsville.

Sophia Sedabres

Sophia Emily (Gerkin) Sedabres, 79, of Highland, formerly of Troy and Granite City, died at 1:30 a.m. Thursday, Jan. 23, 1997, at Highland Health Care Center. She was born Sept. 13, 1917, in Troy.

Mrs. Sedabres was a member of St. Paul Catholic Church in Highland; and former member of St. Cecilias Catholic Church in Panama, St. Jeromes Catholic Church in Troy, Panama Senior Citizens Association, and St. Anne Altar Society.

Survivors include one son, Gilbert V. "Gil" Sedabres of Belleville; one daughter, Stephanie Tracy of Marine; two brothers, Emil "Buddy" Gerkin Jr. of St. Louis and Gerald Gerkin of Panama; four sisters, Mary Gerkin and Thelma Bruch both of Granite City, Mabel Foland of Cahokia and Mildred Qualls of Detroit; and four grandchildren.

She was married to Victor G. Sedabres June 20, 1936, in Granite City, where they resided until moving to Troy in 1954. In 1968 they moved from Troy to the Walshville/Panama area. Mr. Sedabres preceded her in death, Oct. 19, 1988, and she then became a resident at Hilhaven of Highland Nursing Home.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents, Emil and Amelia (Hoenig) Gerkin; one daughter, Mary Lou Sedabres, who died at age 3 weeks in 1937; two brothers, Harrison and Andrew Gerkin; two sisters, Grace Gerkin and Edna Klug; and twin grandsons.

Services were held Saturday, Jan. 25, at St. Paul Catholic Church in Highland with the Rev. Robert W. Spriggs officiating. Burial was in Olive Hill Cemetery, Coffeen.

Memorials are suggested to Highland Animal Shelter and will be accepted at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home, 1501 Ninth, Highland, 62249.

Cora Blunt

Cora M. Blunt, 92, of Chester died Wednesday, Jan. 22, 1997, at St. Ann's Healthcare Center in Chester. She was born June 22, 1904, in Mingo, Mo.

Mrs. Blunt was a homemaker and of the Pentecostal faith.

Survivors include four daughters, Mary Agin of Prairie de Rocher, Pauline McCulloch of Dupo, Thelma Hiller of Steeleville, and Lola Abbott of Granite City; two brothers, Lesty O'Neal of Puxitco, Mo., and Levi O'Neal of Moore Haven, Fla.; 10 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, and six great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, James Allen Blunt, whom she married April 22, 1971, in Missouri; her parents, James Allen and Cordolia Francis (Williams) O'Neal; three brothers and two sisters.

Graveside services were held Friday, Jan. 24, at Elmwood Cemetery in Greenview with the Rev. Calvin Ray officiating.

Memorials are suggested to donor's choice.

Arrangements were handled by Schroeder-McClure Funeral Chapel, 1019 State St.

FARM MACHINERY CONSIGNMENT AUCTION
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1997 • 9AM
Mulberry Grove, IL (Exit 52 off I-70)



75-100 Tractors, 2 Back Hoes, 75-100 Cars, Trucks, Trailers and Buses. Combines, Hay Tillage & Livestock Equipment. Plus New Tools, Tires and Metal Roofing. Also, Lots of Used Tools & Miscellaneous Items.

For Complete Auction Bill
Call McDowell Auction Service
1-800-354-8196

NO BULL!
If you buy glasses anywhere else you will likely pay $50 to $100 more



OVER 1000 FRAMES IN STOCK
Just Bring In Your Own Prescription
VENTURE OPTICAL OUTLET
Rt. 50 & 159 Fairview Heights 397-9000

Shirl K Floral
2701 Pontoon Rd.
Granite City
We have beautiful wedding invitations and a complete line of accessories to fit your wedding theme and price range. Stop in today to see our complete line.
797-6210

WERNER CHAPEL
3939 Lake Dr.
Pontoon Beach, IL
618-797-1009
• At-Need •
• Pre-Need •
• Monuments •
• Insurance •
• Cremation •
Ed & Barb Werner
Stephanie (Werner) Mick
Family Owned & Operated
Members of Local 525

Need Your Taxes Done?
Need Your Refund Fast?
Laster's Emporium & Small Business Accounting Have a great service to offer you this tax season!
• Refund Anticipation Loans that get you money to you in less than 2 days!
• Electronic Tax Filing free with your tax preparation.
• No out of pocket expenses necessary for tax preparation.
• Too busy or tired to make it up to our store, then we can come to you and prepare your taxes in the comfort of your home!
• Need some extra cash? We will pay you $5.00 for every person you refer to us that uses one of our tax services!
• Both Federal and State returns prepared.
To set an appointment or for more information call us at
LASTERS Emporium & Exchange
Lasters Emporium & Exchange
119 E. Main St., Collinsville, IL
345-7579



50% OFF ALL FRAMES
LIMITED TIME OFFER

50% OFF ALL FRAMES
Save 50% off any frame when you purchase a complete pair of prescription glasses (frame & lenses). Excludes EyeBuys® Collection. Coupon must be presented at time of order. No other coupons or discounts apply. Offer valid only at participating locations through 2/22/97. KA

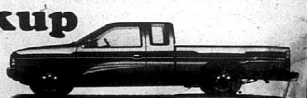
FREE EYE EXAM VALUE UP TO $35
Present a recent eye exam receipt from an independent doctor of optometry next to Pearle or any other eye doctor and we'll credit up to $35.00 off the purchase of a complete pair of glasses (frame & lenses). Excludes EyeBuys® Collection. No other coupons or discounts apply. Coupon must be presented at time of order. Offer valid only at participating locations through 2/22/97.

PEARLE VISION™
Nobody Cares For Eyes More Than Pearle.
GRANITE CITY
3305 Nameoki Road
876-2438
Eye exam available from Dr. Alice E. Unger, O.D.
All optometric services performed by a state licensed Optometrist.
Offer excludes EyeBuys® Collection and any other frame and lens combination pricing. No other coupons or discounts apply. Cannot be combined with insurance benefits. Valid only at participating locations. Pearle, Pearle Vision Center, Pearle Vision Express, Pearle Eye+Tech Express and EyeBuys are trademarks of Pearle Vision, Inc. ©1996 Pearle Vision, Inc.

ENJOY THE RIDE
WITH
NISSAN
NO MONEY DOWN
96 Nissan Sentra
$0 CASH DOWN
Was $11,919
Now $9,499
or
$189/MO*



96 Nissan Pickup
$0 CASH DOWN
Was $11,419
Now $8,999
or
$179/MO*



* 60 Months. Excludes License, Tax & Title



Jack SCHMITT NISSAN O'FALLON
915 WEST HWY. 50
AT I-64, O'FALLON, IL
632-1000

Horoscope

Wednesday, Jan. 29

The Libra moon favorably aspects the sun, allowing you to feel content about who you are and what you want to achieve. The moon and reasonable Mercury because a little friction, perhaps making it more difficult to say how you are feeling. It may be better to be an observer — express yourself more subtly. The moon's transit is swift, and by tomorrow, calm is restored.

ARIES (March 21-April 19). Plan on moving. You need a change to fulfill your creative potential. Business partners make too many demands. Stop being pushed around, and stand up for your rights. Scorpios have good news about relatives.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Your quick wit saves an embarrassing situation. Your work-load should be discussed with superiors. This will lead to fast promotions. Do not let a loved one manipulate you just because you are afraid of hurting feelings.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). Clubs and community activities teach you that your opinions are wanted. Avoid arguments. Your peace of mind is much more important. Creative projects begun now prove to be lucrative as well as artistically successful.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). Do not let others disparage you. Start taking better care of yourself, and you will begin to like yourself enough to prevent this. Capricorns are ready for commitments in love. An old schoolmate makes you an offer.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). Follow directions exactly. Make sure to recognize an opportunity that comes from a chance meeting. Have lunch with coworkers and you'll learn interesting information. At night, sports or games are lucky. A Leo phones.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Jan. 29). It's a year of joy when you embrace your true inclinations and refuse to play the puppet. Finances improve by the end of February as a result of a raise or prize money. Travel in March opens up a career opportunity that you never thought of before. A Pisces or Gemini love wishes to make a commitment permanent in April. Investments are most successful if made in August. The best months to begin new projects are April and June.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Your investments hit a new high. Keep this financial good luck a secret, as others will ask for loans. In your love relationship, a little consideration and romance turns everything around for the better.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). Partners are fortunate. Aries and Pisces not only sense your artistic talents but help you market them. Remorse over a romance changes when you find that your lost love has married. Resist an urge to indulge in sweets.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21) Delicate egos require much stroking. If you don't feel you can do it, at least stay away so you don't have a crushing effect on a fragile soul. You are powerful in your own right and need not use another person's name.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). Money problems have you down. Music or a video will lift your spirits and give you energy to work on solutions. Encourage a sibling or cousin to further his or her education. A Libra needs to know your true feelings.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). Let your intelligence show. People respond to your comments with admiration. It is a lucky period to raise funds for a favorite charity. the generosity of a Leo friend enables you to attend a big social event.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). A brother or sister may be marrying someone you do not like. Meetings this evening change your opinion. Improved communication with a coworker is evident to higher-ups, and you are both chosen to head a project.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). A provocative question should not be answered — others are just baiting you. Time spent alone helps sort out a conflict at work. Sweet-talk a current mate and get anything you wish this evening.



Joyce Jillson
Your personal horoscope, call
1-900-420-2787
99¢ per min touch-tone and rotary

Live astrologers!
1-900-407-3001
Touch-tone and rotary $2.99 per min

Coterie holds party

The Ladies Coterie held their annual Christmas party at Central Christian Church. The tables were decorated in a gingerbread motif, using tiny houses and gingerbread figures. A delicious lunch was served by the ladies of Central Christian Church.

President Helen Stumpe welcomed the guest and offered the blessing for the food.

Following lunch, the group was entertained by Grigsby Swing Choir from Grigsby Middle School under the direction of Don Stratton. They gave a wonderful program of both old and new Christmas songs.

JB's Showtime Video & Pizza
797-2791
518 E. Ch. of Rocks Rd.
Under NEW Ownership
Jeff & Rose Bladdick
We Now Deliver
Pizza and Videos
Hrs: Sun. - Thrs. 12 noon - 10 pm
Fri. - Sat. 12 noon - 11 pm

MILLIONS OF DOLLARS UP FOR GRABS
Lotteries pay millions of dollars weekly. Are you playing the right numbers? IL. Lotto Fun Fax can help you select your numbers using statistical and historical data. Put 5 yrs. research to work for you by sending $3.00 PLUS A SASE TO:
IL. Lotto Fun Fax
P.O. Box 1161
Collinsville, IL. 62234

G.C. POLICE DEPARTMENT'S
ANNUAL HEALTH & WELFARE
VALENTINE'S DAY
CHICKEN & BEER DANCE
SATURDAY, FEB. 8
*B STREET BAND * $10.00 PER PERSON
*PLACE: G.C. KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
DOORS OPEN 6:30 P.M. FOOD 7 P.M.
MUSIC 8:00 P.M. TO MIDNIGHT
TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM ALL G.C. POLICEMEN

FRI. & SAT. : LIVE MUSIC WITH BASKET CASE
SUN. COUNTRY MUSIC NITE • LINE DANCING WITH RHONDA
Neighborhood Eddie's Bar & Grill
WED. SHRIMP 15¢
THURS. TACOS 75¢
Beautiful Banquet Room Call for Details
2900 Nameoki Rd. (618) 452-4142

Autos — See Class B-200
Hobbies Collectors — See Class 1910
Motor Homes — See Class 165
Hot Tubs — See Class 1890
Birth Announcements — See Class 420
Houses For Rent — See Class 2660
It's a buyer's market.
Go shopping in St. Louis' biggest marketplace. The Suburban Journals has almost anything you can imagine.
Classifieds 966-FAST 1-800-766-FAST

PLATINUM PARADISE SHOWCLUB
Platinum's Paradise Show Club
35 Four Corners Ln.
Centreville, IL
(618) 332-6141
Bringing You The Best In Adult Entertainment
7 Days A Week
213 Madison
Brooklyn, IL
(618) 274-2582
ENJOY THE FINER THINGS IN LIFE. A COMFORTABLE ATMOSPHERE AND A ROOM WITH A VIEW!
Hiring Day Shift Girls. Call for Appointment 332-6141
$2.00 OFF Admission at Either Location after 6 P.M.
Come Check Us Out - Sexiext Ladies on The East Side
* Double Your Pleasure Double Your Fun At Both Platinum Locations
* Open 7 Days A Week
* Special Discounts For Large Groups or Parties
* 24 Hr. Security & Completely Lighted Parking
Say Hello to 1997 at the Hottest, Most Erotic Night Spots on The East Side
★7 NIGHTS A WEEK★
Both Locations -SEE YOU THERE!

ALL SEATS $1.75
NAMEOKI CINEMA
Nameoki Village, Granite City • 877-6630
Ends Thursday!
BEAVIS AND BUTT-HEAD DO AMERICA PG-13 7:30
BEAVIS • BUTT-HEAD
The Preacher's Wife PG 7:00
denzel WASHINGTON
Ends Thursday!
STARTS FRIDAY! ONE FINE DAY
MICHELLE PFEIFFER PG
FRI/SAT 7:00, 9:30; SAT/SUN MAT 2:00, 4:30
SUN-THURS 7:00
STARTS FRIDAY! EDDIE MURPHY METRO R
FRI/SAT 7:30, 10:00; SAT/SUN MAT 2:15, 4:45
SUN-THURS 7:30
Now FREE REFILL on Popcorn & Soft Drinks!

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS LOUNGE
4225 Old Alton Road
EVERY FRIDAY
The Best 14 oz Rib Eye Steak Dinner In Town!
Includes Salad and Baked Potato.
$9.00
Entertainment By:
Kevin Heim
OPEN TO PUBLIC

WANTED

BIG BEEFY APPETITES
Surrender your appetite at Carlos O'Kelly's Mexican Cafe, where beef is always on the *Most Wanted* list. Try delicious Beef Fajitas or a juicy 12 oz. Ribeye Steak, charbroiled to perfection.
If you've got a bigger appetite, try Carlos' new Prairie Fire Steak and Enchiladas dinner. Anything else would be criminal!
Carlos O'Kelly's
MEXICAN CAFE
130 Ludwig Drive
Fairview Heights
BEEF
IT'S WHAT'S FOR DINNER

Pump Boys & Dinette
Looking Glass Playhouse
LEBANON ILLINOIS
Feb. 6,7,8,9,13,14,15 and 16, 1997
Thursday through Saturday 7:30 pm
Sunday Matinees 2:00 pm
Ticket Reservations 537-4962
Ticket Prices$7.00
(Special discounts available for senior citizens and students on selected dates)
Auditions: Ten Little Indians
Feb. 8,1997 • 1:00 pm
Bruce Bowman-Director
301 W. St. Louis Street • Lebanon, IL 62254

Valentine's Weekend Rendezvous Package
includes:
♥ One Night's Deluxe Accommodations for Two
♥ Champagne upon Arrival
♥ Special Four Course Dinner for two at the *Top of the Riverfront***
♥ Parking
$149.00 plus tax
(Available Feb. 14 & 15 Only)
Or Enjoy Our Romantic Valentine's Dinner at .... Top of the Riverfront
Smoked Quail, Macintosh Apple Risotto
Artihole Hearts, Forest Mushroom Heart Pastry
Top of the Riverfront Salad
Coconut Battered Shrimp
Seafood Bouillabaisse
Roast Pepper Seared Beef Tenderloin
Grilled Cornish Game Hen
Atlantic Salmon and Scallop Mousse Wellington
Strawberry Creme Brulée or Rich Chocolate Diamonds or Sour Cream Apple Tart
$55.00** per person plus tax and gratuity (Available Feb. 14 & 15 Only)
REGAL RIVERFRONT HOTEL
Call 1-800-325-7353, or (314) 241-9500 For Reservations
*Per room, per night, based on double occupancy. Package available February 14 &15; subject to availability.
**Alcohol, gratuity and taxes not included.

Get into "TRAINING" at Greenberg's
GREAT TRAIN Dollhouse & TOY SHOW
SHOW HOURS FEBRUARY 1st & 2nd
Saturday 11-5 / Sunday 11-4
SEE SPECTACULAR DISPLAYS. A first, the super realistic layout for LIONEL trains created by renowned model railroader Dave Frary. Children can operate the toy trains on the LIONEL Kiddie Express with tiny cartoon characters including Mickey, Donald & friends. Plus three exciting BIG train G Gauge layouts, the huge 40x40 foot N Scale layout and a 14x18 inch layout in a BRIEFCASE!
SHOP the SUPER HOBBY MARKET. Train, miniature and collectible toy dealers fill the marketplace offering a great selection at competitive prices. Enjoy one-stop shopping for your hobby needs.
MEET the MASTERS. Learn how to build a LIONEL layout and the "ins and outs" of garden railroading at informative how-to clinics by experienced model railroaders. ENTER to WIN. Wonderful hourly door prizes plus $50 in Marketplace Money awarded each day.
DAILY ADMISSION $5 Adults; $2 Ages 6-12; Under 6 FREE
GATEWAY CENTER
One Gateway Drive • COLLINSVILLE, IL
From Interstate 70/55: Take Exit 11 and turn left at the end of the ramp, turn left onto Eastport Plaza Drive, then turn right to Gateway Center.
From Interstate 255: Take Exit 26 and follow signs to Convention Center.
For information call (618)345-9127
America's Premier Train and Miniatures Event
Greenberg Shows, Inc. (410)795-7447

1719 ILLINOIS GARAGE SALES

2234 IN HOUSE Moving Sale, Thursday, Friday, Saturday. 2 bedroom sets, 1 dining room set, 2 dinette sets, couch, entertainment center, misc. chairs & other furniture items. 1983 Mapleleaf, Collinwood Subdivision.

WANTED TO BUY
ANTIQUES AND COLLECTIBLES
FURNITURE, GLASSWARE, POTTERY
PRIMITIVES, MARBLES, ADVERTISING
ANYTHING OLD CALL
876-0720

1730 AUCTIONS /FLEA MKTS.

WHITE Europ. Cabinets List $3800 ONLY $1100 All Sizes Avail WAREHOUSE 231-0209

FAIRMONT FLEA MARKET
NOW OPEN OUTSIDE
7 DAYS A WEEK
FREE ADMISSION
7:00 A.M. TO DARK
TRAILERS AND BOOTHS AVAILABLE
SAT & SUN
Weekend Only Inside
8:00 To 6:00 P.M.
I-55/70 & Hwy. 111
Across From Venture
618-271-9885

1750 APPLIANCES

Refrig's $125-$299
Washers/Dryers $95 ea + Up
Gas/Elec Stoves $95 ea. + Up
ALL CLEAN
90 Day Guarantee
Delivery Available
1926 W. Main, Belleville
234-2789

1780 BUILDING MATERIALS

CERAMIC Tile 12 x 21, 99¢ each, Reg. $3.99, 10,000 sq. ft., Many styles WAREHOUSE 231-0209

DIMENSION BUILDINGS, best building, best price, $3650 for a 30x50 building delivered. (618)997-9568

STEEL BUILDINGS, Best Deals form Factory Sale! 24x36, 30x36, 38x72, 72x120. All offered at off-season discounts! Limited Inventory. Bob 618-451-0165.

Steel buildings, new, spring delivery o.k. 40x60x12 Was $15,500 Now $8,990. 50x100x16 Was $26,200 Now $17,990. 80x200x16 Was $62,500 Now $39,900. 1-800-406-5126.

1810 CLOTHING

UNIQUE wedding dress size 7 $250 OBO, FORMAL DRESSES from size 9-12, starting at $50. Call after 4:00pm; 451-2074.

1820 COMPUTER EQUIP.

APPLE II GS WOZ computer, printer & table, excellent condition, $250. 345-5929 after 5pm.

COMMODORE 64 2 disc drive modum, color monitor, a fast load cartridge & some games $150.00 797-3244.

1865 FURNITURE DRAPERIES

CONTEMPORARY SOFA $100, twin bed frame, box springs, mattress-$50, small kitchen table & chairs-$85, Lifecycle exercise bike with digital display-like new-paid $1000, asking $350. 344-5185.

DARK GREEN L-Shaped Couch W/Fold Out Bed & Glass Table. ASKING $350.00; 797-1776.

EVERYTHING MUST GO! Lawn Mower $75.00; Stereo $75.00; Glass Top Table $50.00; Atari & All Tapes $50.00; VCR $50.00; 3/4 Bed $30.00; Smoker-BBQ $25.00; 2 Drawer Chest $10.00; 1205 WASHINGTON, MADISON. 452-7560.

3PC Livingroom Set $225.00; OBO. Toddler Bed $20.00; 931-5732.

SLEEPER SOFA & chair. $150 obo. 344-3973.

SOFA NEVER USED. EXCELLENT CONDITION. EXTRA CUSHIONS INCLUDED. ROSE AND TEAL FLORAL PRINT $400.00 CALL 931-6055. LEAVE MESSAGE.

1870 HANDCRAFTED ITEMS

CERAMICS, BISQUE, finished. Large selection fantasy to dinnerware. 344-4543.

1875 HANDICAPPED ITEMS

18 in. wheel chair, electric hospital bed, electric recliner chair w/lift, 931-3856, all excellent condition.

1880 HEALTH/FITNESS

SAVE UP to 80% on all dental services. Save 5%-60% on vision care. Save 5%-50% on most prescriptions. For more information call Karen at 344-8394.

1900 HOUSEHOLD GOODS

CARPETING, $39. A ROOM, many sizes/colors. Call 524-1500.

1950 MACHINERY /TOOLS

CRAFTSMAN 6' planer $65.00; CRAFTSMAN wood shaper $130.00; ROCKWELL wood turning talhe $130.00; 877-0552.

1970 PETS

AKC CHOCOLATE lab pups, 12/18/96, $250ea. 398-0661.

AKC PEKINGESE, 5 cuddly pups, 2 males-3 females. 8wks old. First shots & wormed. $225-$275. 394-0678; 398-7045.

FULL SERV ANIM/HOSP
LOW COST SPAYS
Neutering, & Declawing
618-281-7161

2 GOLDEN RETRIEVERS MALE & FEMALE FREE TO GOOD HOME 931-5438.

GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPPIES, AKC REGISTERED, first shots, wormed, parents on premises $250.00; 618-931-2352.

MASTIFF (English), 6 quality pups, bridle and fawn, out of 200+ lb. Spartacus. 26mo. health guarantee. Delivery available. $800. (417)256-0539.

The New Once A Month
FLEA CONTROL TABLET
Is Now Available
AT COLUMBIA ANIMAL HOSPITAL
(618) 281-7161

4 YEAR Old Golden Retriever (Mix, HouseBroke, Male, Neutered; 451-1704.

1972 PET SUPPLIES

12X12X6 CHAIN LINK DOG KENNEL $150. 451-1704.

2020 MISC. FOR SALE

STURDI-BUILT FARM/Garage & Commercial Buildings, Over 30yrs In Post Frame Construction. Days (800)345-3770; Eves: 246-2634

2020 MISC. FOR SALE

WANTED WASHERS DRYERS & MICROWAVES NOT WORKING. ALSO SALES PARTS & REPAIR. BILL KINGSLEY, 931-3450.

WOLFF TANNING BEDS
TAN AT HOME
Buy DIRECT and SAVE!
Commercial/Home Units from $199
Low Monthly Payments
FREE Color Catalog
1-800-711-0158

2030 WANTED TO BUY

WITH COUPON
(Prices Subject to Change)

Flattened Alum. Cans	49¢ lb.
Alum. Cans	43¢ lb.
Clean Scrap	33¢ lb.
Alum. Scrap	29¢ lb.
#1 Copper	84¢ lb.
#2 Copper	69¢ lb.
Yellow Brass	43¢ lb.
Batteries 39¢ each - 2¢ lb.	

Limit of 15
3990 Bunkum
(618) 271-5000

WANTED NON WORKING TV'S VCR'S CALL 452-4137.

2325 COLLINSVILLE & VICINITY

NEW HOME, split foyer. $3900 down, approximately $600 per month principal & interest. 288-6702.

PRESTIGIOUS NOTTINGHAM Estates, approximately 3000 sq.ft., $159,000. Will consider trade, lease purchase or creative financing. 288-6702.

Century 21
Hallmark Homes
NEW PRICE $149,900
Desirable Collinwood Subd., Brick - cedar ranch style home offers great room with fireplace & gas logs. Other features include a "split bedroom floor plan", 3-4 bedrooms, full finished basement, numerous extras and amenities.
$41,500
Handsome one level condo with attached garage, cozy fireplace, built in entertainment center, covered porch, kitchen appliances including washer & dryer.
Karen McConnel
344-6761
2 Million Dollar Producer

2345 EDWARDSVILLE & VICINITY

17476 NEW HOME on corner lot. Large kitchen, vinyl tilt windows, ceiling fans, cedar porch. Must see! Ask for Dottye, 1-800-901-9888.

BY OWNER
3 Bed, 2 Bath
Ranch W/Full
Basement, Two
Car Garage
Glen Carbon Area
288-3338

2355 GRANITE CITY & VICINITY

2BR, Brick, Full Basement, 4 1/2 Car Garage, Heated & Cooled Workshop With 3/4 Bath; 15x25 Patio, Privacy Fence, G.C. Schools, Low Taxes, 1418 Grand Ave, $38,000. 451-1965.

2533 DELMAR 4Bedroom Brick 2Car Garage, Nicely Landscaped Move-In Condition $76,500. Call 451-5661.

FIXER-UPPER. MISSOURI AVE, GRANITE CITY. SELL $12,000. Call MICHAEL 632-6711.

GOVERNMENT HOMES
Equal Housing Opportunity
2212 GRAND, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, $29,700
148 BRIARMOOR, 3 bedroom, aluminum sided, $28,000
1208 IOWA, Madison, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, $26,000
PAM COLLMAN
377-5006
CONTRATTO REALTY
377-9735

HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER. 2 Bedroom Cottage Fenced Yard. $24,000 As Is. 1921 5th Street Madison. Call 1-217-835-2451 Sat-Tue. 9-9 Wed-Fri. 5-9 For Appt. To See.

MOTIVATED SELLERS! HOME FOR SALE BY OWNER 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath, 2 Car Garage, Full Basement. All Brick Very Nice, Many Extras Call For Details And Showing. 2306 BERN, GRANITE CITY 797-0821.

2852 RALPH 2 Bedroom, Basement. New Kitchen & Bath, with New Roof $36,000 451-4899.

2366 MADISON COUNTY

17401 BUY THIS home with little or no money down for qualified buyers! Beautiful well kept 3 bdr, 2 bth home completely updated. Fireplace in family rm in partially finished bsmt. Nice back yard with new patio. Ask for Dottye, 1-800-901-9888.

2405 DUPLEXES FOR SALE

LIVE FREE DUPLEX FOR SALE. $600 Income/$300 Each Side. Live In Half Rent Other. SELL $30,000 2252 GRAND Call MICHAEL 632-6711.

2420 COUNTRY PLACES/ FARMS FOR SALE

17449 STORY & HALF completely remodeled, w/newer roof, siding, C/A, furnace, windows, on 12+ acres. Horses allowed. Highland Schools. Call Holzinger Real Estate, 1-800-901-9888, ask for Dottye.

17472 WELL KEPT home on 1.51 ac. Zoned ag. Eat-in kitchen w/appliances, hardwood floors in msbr., large living room w/newer carpeting, nicely decorated. Must see. Call Holzinger Real Estate 1-800-901-9888, ask for Dottye.

2430 LOTS/ACREAGE FOR SALE

17446 40 ACRES!! 20/pines & 20/timber. Excellent hunting. Borders Shoal Creek. City water & electric across rd. Call Holzinger Real Estate 1-800-901-9888, ask for Dottye.

17353 ATTENTION HUNTERS!! 40+ acres-excellent hunting ground with bluffs & winding creek, also great cabin sites just 30+ minutes S. of Belleville. Call Holzinger Real Estate, 1-800-901-9888, ask for Dottye.

17516 BEAUTIFUL TIMBER ground, excellent bldg. sites, possible lake site. May divide. Ask for Dottye, 1-800-901-9888.

LOTS AVAILABLE
Lake, Wooded & Walkout
COLLINSVILLE
Deer Creek from $29,000
MARYVILLE
Stonebridge from $23,500
Copper Creek from $23,500
TROY
Meadowbrooke from $27,900
Turtle Creek from $23,500
Fair Oaks from $23,500
GLEN CARBON
Oak Ridge from $25,900
OSBORN DEVELOPMENT
346-7878

2440 MOBILE/MFR'D HOMES FOR SALE

14x70 3 BEDROOM, bath-1/2, 1980 Fairmont priced for quick sale $5250 or best cash offer call 451-2339.

1997 16x80 3 BEDROOM with furniture, 6 mos. free lot rent in park of your choice. Flexible financing available. $248 mo. Ask for John, 618-667-8428.

DOUBLE-WIDE ON LAND! Will Finance - Call Robert, (314) 931-6705.

FIRST TIME BUYERS & SINGLE PARENTS! FHA Assisted Program Now Available. Call Now! (314) 931-6705.

FOR SALE "LIKE NEW": 1996 repossessed 16x80 3 bdrm, 2 bath. Relaxed financing. Small down payment. Low monthly payment. Set up on lot of your choice. Call John Now! 618-667-8428.

LARGEST SELECTION OF NEW 16X80 HOMES IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. STOREYLAND MOBILE HOME, 3106 W.CHAIN OF ROCKS ROAD. GRANITE CITY, 931-5067.

MOVING, Must sacrifice mobile home. Take over payment, little down. (314) 931-6705

14X70 N. American on ¼ acre, close to SIUE, 2BR, immediate poss avail, $8300 656-1584

OWN A 3 bedroom, 2 bath ddoublewide for under $250 mo. Call Ed Eaton, 618-667-8428.

OWN A new 2 or 3 bedroom home for only $195 mo. Call Randy, 618-667-8428.

OWNER-FINANCED LAND With Double Wide Already Set Up, Only $250 Deposit, Terms Negotiable. 314-567-2028.

Quality Beach Park
4441 Hwy. 162
Pontoon Beach, IL
618-797-6034
Manufactured Homes
7 New Homes Displayed In Park
Double Wides & Singles On Lots
Ready To Move Into.
Come By And Let Us Show Them To You
Park Situated Around 50 Acre Lake.
Check On Our Amenities Like Lot Rent, Etc.
We Also Have Used Homes For Sale In Our Park.
Come & Look And See Our Park

REPO DOUBLE WIDE Needs Minor Repair $25,000. Others To Select From. STOREYLAND 270 MOBILE HOME, 3106 W.CHAIN OF ROCKS RD. GRANITE CITY, 931-5067.

REPOSSESSED DOUBLE-WIDE, 1994. 28x53 Fuqua, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, large laundry room. Easy financing. For More Information Call Country View Mobile Homes. 618-667-8428.

REPO 16X80 3 BEDROOM, 2 BATHS, LIKE NEW CONDITION LOW DOWN PAYMENTS. E-Z TERMS-10 TO SELECT FROM: STOREYLAND 270 MOBILE HOMES, 3106 W.CHAIN OF ROCKS ROAD. GRANITE CITY, 931-5067.

SELLER FINANCING, homes starting at $4,500. 2 and 3 bedrooms. Please call 656-5893.

32x40 3/2 Set up in park, easy financing. (314) 931-2216.

WANTED - LAND For Mobile Homes, Will Pay Cash, 1-800-728-9100.

WE BUY USED MOBILE HOMES. 1-800-728-9100.

WHY PAY RENT and throw your hard earned dollars away? Owner finance new & used mobile homes with all appliances. (314) 931-2216

2465 REAL ESTATE INFO

GOV'T FORECLOSED Homes For Pennies On $1. Delinquent Tax, Repo's, REO's. Your Area. Toll Free: (1) 800-218-9000 Ext. H-6401 For Current Listings

2485 REAL ESTATE WANTED

CAN PAY cash for homes in zip 62040. Will take as is or for resale. John Sobol Realtor 931-0200.

2500 BUSINESS FOR SALE

Video Pizza Business For Sale. Located 50 minutes northeast of St. Louis. Includes tapes, games, all pizza equipment and real estate. 3100 sq. feet. 7 year successful business. 1-800-220-9845 after 1 P.M. except Wed.

2505 COMMERCIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE

Metro East Area
2600 Square foot brick garage with office. Two 10x13 overhead garage doors, 250 ft. frontage on 4 lane road with good traffic count. $89,000. Call after 8:00 P.M.
692-1520

2523 INVESTMENT PROPERTY

REDUCED $10,000
3 Unit Apt. Bldg. with basement, low maintenance, great condition, close to G.C. Steel, hospital, bus stops. Owner wants an offer! Asking price $64,999.
Call Sheila Gergen of Holzinger Real Estates at 618-345-6102.

2530 OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT

Excellent Granite City location, for office or retail, facing Civic Park. 900 Sq. Ft. $325. Including utilities. 288-9664 after 5 pm.

PERFECT FOR small business; Office for lease, 550 sq.ft.; or office & warehouse, 1200 sq.ft. Reasonable rates. Close to Cottonwood Mall. 692-0037.

2545 WAREHOUSE/ STORAGE SPACE FOR RENT

FOR LEASE-2000 Sq.Ft Warehouse/Manufacturing Space Located At HWY 255 & Poag Rd 931-6337.

2601 APARTMENTS/ FLATS FURNISHED

2RM, Clean, Good Location, Quiet, $285, 876-2644.

2 ROOM APARTMENT, $210 plus deposit. Most utilities furnished 797-5470.

1 Room Efficiency Private Bath 877-7462.

GEORGETOWN APTS.
3207 MARYVILLE RD.
GRANITE CITY IL
451-2793
APARTMENT EXCHANGE INC.
OWNER BROKER

2620 APTS./FLATS UNFURNISHED

AFFORDABLE 1-2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS. NO PETS, CLEAN. 797-1639 OR 288-0031.

APARTMENT FOR RENT water/utilities paid $350. prefer single or married couple, 877-5649.

2 BEDROOM APARTMENT, Collinsville, 1yr. old, CA, quiet neighborhood, WD hookups, deck. $430. Lease. Deposit. 236-0915.

2 BEDROOM APARTMENT FOR RENT $325.MONTH; $325.DEPOSIT; 931-7109.

2 BEDROOM, 1½ BATH townhouse in Collinsville with large private garage & basement, rear deck, WD hookup, gas heat, refrigerator, range, window treatments included. Security deposit & 1 year lease required. $440 month. 692-4243 or 656-7380.

1 Bedroom, c/a, includes stove & refrigerator $225.per month plus deposit, Call:451-7410 after 6pm call 797-1965.

1 BEDROOM DELUXE apartment 205-A S. Aurora, a/c, w/w carpet, vinyl, w/d, stove, refrigerator, large rear deck, security lights. No pets. $325 per month plus utilities, $250 deposit. Phone 345-0845.

2 BEDROOM, QUIET Belleville area. Appliances, coin-laundry. No section 8, no pets. $365. 782-5262, leave message.

1 BR, LIVING Room w/fireplace, carport & storage. Lease & deposit. 345-9131.

Clean 2RM Eficiency, stove & frig. furnished, 2319 Nameoki Rd. 876-0491

COLLINSVILLE, 3 ROOM apt. 1 BR, kitchen, living room, laundry hookups, storage. Deposit. 344-4558.

DUPLEX:SMALL, economical one-bedroom. Furnished kitchen, air-conditioned, water, sewer, trash included. Convenient location; 797-0361.

FOR RENT-1 BR apt small, suitable for one person. $225.00 mth. $100.00 security. no animals. Utilities furnished. Call 10:00-2:00 pm. 877-3057.

FOUR UNFURNISHED ROOMS With Shower, No Pets 1723 Spruce Granite City IL 62040 Phone 931-3659.

GRANITE CITY, nice 1 & 2 bedrooms, $250 & $350. 877-1731.

GRANITE-Nice newly remodeled 1 bedroom apartment. Great location, off street parking, $300.month plus utilities, $250.deposit; 254-0905.

LARGE 2 BEDROOM apartments & townhouses. Clean and quiet area. WD hookups & coin laundry. Williams Estate, Edwardsville, IL 618-659-9115. Also, estate apartments on Lancashire, 618-656-6695.

2 LARGE 2 BEDROOM upstairs apt. stove, ref, ceiling fans, fire place, carpeting. No pets. $310 & $325 per mo. deposit $300.00; Toll Free 1-888-225-1870.

LARGE, Clean 4-Room Apartment 2037A EDISON, Heat, Water, Sewer, Trash Paid. $300 Cleaing & Damage Deposit $375. Rent Plus References; 876-6610.

Large Modern 1 bedroom apt. 2200 Cleveland. Outside security door. Trash pickup, heat, stove, wter & refrigerator furnished. References. No pets. $290. plus deposit. 877-0221.

MADISON-1863 ED ROAD REAR. 1 Bedroom $245 mo. $175 dep. References. 618-585-3296.

1BEDROOM No Pets, $300., 2139 EDISON 692-9620.

TROY, 2 BEDROOM townhouse, 1½ baths, WD hookups, garbage disposal, appliances furnished. $400 month. Deposit & references required. 692-0921.

Chouteau Bay
Chouteau Trace
All new energy efficient two bedroom apartments including:
Dishwasher
Microwave
Gas Range
Refrigerator
Washer/Dryer Hookup
3 On-Site Laundry Facilities
Cable Hookups All Rooms
Carpeting Throughout
Ample Parking
Minutes from I-270
Central Heat/Air
Mini-Blinds
APARTMENTS AT
$465-$495-$545 Mo.
Mgrs. Office:
64-Abel Court (270 & 111)
931-5933

Recently Remodeled
Spacious two bedroom apartments available in Collinsville.
Situated in quiet neighborhood.
Furnished with:
* stove * refrigerator
* dishwasher * disposal
* washer/dryer hookup
* 1½ bath
For more info, call 345-8608

TWO 1 BEDROOM apartments, Collinsville, AC, gas heat, quiet neighborhood. Lease. Deposit. $290 & $275. 236-0915.

2620 APTS./FLATS UNFURNISHED

PARKTOWNE WEST
2 & 3 Bedrooms, Water, Sewer and Trash Furnished. No Pets. $280.00-$350.00 Per Mth. Rent. $280.00-$350.00 Deposit.
876-3955

2645 Condominiums/ Townhomes Rent

2 BEDROOM TOWN HOUSE IN TROY QUIET RESIDENTIAL AREA. $360. PER MONTH 314-256-3309.

PARKVIEW RIDGE
Large, spacious, 2 bedroom luxury townhomes and garden apartments; all electric, washer/dryer hook-up, fully equipped kitchens, off-street parking, decks, patios. Ideal location across from park. Center Grove Road and Esic Drive in Edwardsville from $450. Call 692-6366.

2650 DUPLEXES FOR RENT

4 BEDROOM DUPLEX, Collinsville, fam.rm, lr, dr, fin.basement. $650. Lease. Deposit. 236-0915.

2 BEDROOM DUPLEX, WASHER/DRYER HOOK-UP, AIR, CARPORT, 451-1691.

2 BEDROOM NEWLY remodeled duplex. Quiet, safe neighborhood, $565. 345-0742.

2 BEDROOM Walkin Closet, Dressing Rm., Fireplace, Garage, Washer-Dryer Hook-ups, Dishwasher, Range, Refrigerator, Gas Heast, AC (270+111) $600.MO 931-7375.

2 BR, 1½ BATH, central AC, washer/dryer hookup, carpeted, large fenced backyard. No pets allowed. $450 per month, $450 deposit required. Utilities not included. Call 344-7263.

FOR RENT 2 BR Duplex nice neighborhood. Ideal for couple or single w/small child. Stove, refrigerator furnished. Available Jan 10th No Section 8. L & M Properties 797-0102.

IN COLLINSVILLE-2 bedroom, 1½ baths, 2-car attached garage, fireplace in family room, appliances included. $550 month. 345-0271 after 6pm.

1ST MONTH FREE
2 bedroom, C/A. $315/mo. W/D hookup. Very clean Cellular, 541-4988 or 931-8109

2660 HOUSES FOR RENT

1 BEDROOM, BASEMENT, nice yard, Collinsville. $315. Deposit. 345-9940.

2 BEDROOM BRICK On Madison Ave In Granite City, Full Basement, Fenced Back Yard, Newly Remodeled, $475.Month CALL HAL 345-1974.

2 BEDROOM HOME in Collinsville, new paint & carpet. $465 month; $465 deposit. Call 667-3029.

1 BEDROOM HOUSE nice & clean rent $340 month, deposit $240 CALL 931-4312.

CAHOKIA, 3bdrm, den, ca, w/d hookup, fenced, carport, references, no pets, no Section 8, $450month + $450deposit. (618)281-5390.

COLLINSVILLE. BEAUTIFUL brick 2-3BR home, fireplace, full basement, new kitchen w/appliances, 2 car garage. $695/mo plus deposit. 931-8131.

3Room House Full Basement, All Appliances, Accepting Applications Leave Message 9AM-9PM 451-6821 Or 452-1229.

1557 JOHNSON RD., Granite City. 2BR, LR, dining area, 1BA, kitchen, breakfast nook, full bsm't, no garage. $490 /$490 Deposit. 877-1941 or 288-58.42.

LARGE 4 BEDROOM HOUSE in historic section. 2 baths, garage. $575.00 per.mo. $500.00 deposit. Toll Free 1-888-225-1870.

1BEDROOM, Living Room, Bath, 1/2 Bath, Shower FOR RENT 274-6756

3 Room House 2120 OHIO, $500.Month Plus Deposit 451-2910.

SOUTH ROXANA-Small 1 Bedroom private lot, $275.month plus deposit; 931-6958.

2077 14Th St. Small 2 Bedroom Prefer Couple/1 Child, $250/Mo $250. Securtity Deposit 931-6753.

TAKEING APPLICATIONS 7 rooms cooktop stove, refrigerator, basement carport. $400 per month 2406 W.23RD; 876-4173.

HOUSE FOR RENT
Two bedroom, full basement, furnace, central air. Fairly new fenced back yard, carport.
$450 Deposit
2721 Ralph
Granite City
344-6621

HOUSE FOR RENT
3 BR., LV. RM, DEN, C/A, off street parking. Walking distance to schools, shopping and bus lines. Prime, safe neighborhood. Stove supplied. $495 per mth. - 1 mth. security deposit. 1508 Lindell, G.C.
CALL 931-8748

FOR RENT
4 Bdrm HOUSE
3 Bdrm APT.
877-7630

2670 MOBILE/MFR'D HOMES FOR RENT

2 BEDROOMS-C/A, Washer Hoook-up, On It's Own Lot, East Granite Location $225.00 Per Month. CALL 931-2678.

2 BEDROOM, $313. STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, CA, FENCED, NO PETS, $350 DEPOSIT, 877-8117, 877-5106, 996-2034.

NICE 2BDRM Mobil Home on Private Lot. Available February 1st. CA, Washer/Dryer Hookups, New Carpet/Appliances, Sewer/Trash Paid, $325/month and $325 deposit, 1yr. Lease and References Required, 877-1850.

Journal Classifieds for Fast Results

2672 MOBILE HM. SITES /LOTS FOR RENT

$99 MONTH RENT or $300 back for move-in. Edwardsville Estates. Pool, playground, cable.
656-5893

2676 ROOMMATES WANTED

ROOM MATE WANTED CALL EVENINGS 877-6560.

2682 SLEEPING ROOMS

COLLINSVILLE AREA-Furnished room lady prefered, nice quiet home available for immediate comforts; $20.week or $90.month references, for more information CALL 341-9200 leave message, or call 345-1200.

2682 SLEEPING ROOMS

STOREFRONT IN MADISON FOR RENT. $350 PER MONTH 877-7630.

2690 STORAGE/GARAGE RENTALS

SWANSON STORAGE
Construction & Warehouse / Storage space. 792 sq.ft. with overhead door and truck dock. $225/mo. one 12x10 sq.ft. inside storage units, private entrance, $65.00/mo. per unit. Ample parking, security lighting. Convenient location. Call
931-1393



GET A FRESH NEW LOOK AT MORE GREAT PEOPLE!
Check out the new look of Meet Your Match. It's a great place to meet exciting single people. Here's what you get: ▲ Free 20 Word Print Ad ▲ Free Message Check ▲ Free 2 Minute Voice Introduction ▲ 24 Hour, 7 Day A Week Ad Taking Service. Meet Your Match appears every Wednesday in the Suburban Journal in Classified. Don't miss your chance meet new people! So place your ad in the new edition today, by calling 1-800-442-1289. Meet Match

ANXIETY

Clinical Research Associates of Edwardsville needs volunteers, age 18 and over, with Generalized Anxiety Disorder to participate in a research study comparing an investigational drug with placebo. If you feel anxious but don't know if it's serious enough to be considered for a study, please give us a call. The symptoms include:

Excessive or unrealistic worry	Shakiness/trembling
Difficulty sleeping	Startle easily
Edginess	Restlessness
Perspiring	Racing heart
Dry mouth	Dizziness
Diarrhea	Shortness of breath
Fearfulness	Difficulty concentrating
Irritability	Impatience
Fatigue	Muscle tension

If you have three or more of these symptoms you may qualify for a study. Suitable volunteers will receive a physical exam, EKG, blood and urine analysis, weekly visits with a psychiatrist and study medication at no charge. If interested, please call Mary, (618)659-0292 Monday through Friday.

CLINICAL RESEARCH ASSOCIATES OF EDWARDSVILLE
Lynn A. Cunningham, M.D., Director of Clinical Research
St. Elizabeth Health Center Building
1121 University Drive
Edwardsville, IL 62025



Spelling Bee winners are named in District 9

The District 9 Elementary Spelling Bee, under the direction of Debra Garland, Principal of Worthern Elementary School, was held Saturday, Dec. 7, at Coolidge Middle School.

Students qualified for the event by winning at the building level in their respective grade levels.

District wide winners and runners-up were named in the event Saturday for third, fourth, fifth and sixth divisions:

The district winners and runners-up are:

Third grade: Heather Mayer (Wilson), winner; Alex Robertson (Mitchell), runner-up;

Fourth grade: Jason Monroe (Worthen), winner; William Schrader (Maryville), runner-up;

Fifth grade: Isaac Rose (Marshall), winner; Carrie Taylor (Mitchell) runner-up;

Sixth grade: Korey McManamy (Frohardt), winner; Aaron Asperger (Niedringhaus) runner-up.

Other students participating in the event and the school they represented were:

Third grade: Frohardt - Emily Settlemoir, winner; David DeWitt, runner-up; Lake - Shawn Verheecke, winner; Justin Gibson, runner-up; Maryville - Ricky Watson, winner; Danny McBride, runner-up; Marshall - Nicholas Krug, winner; Jessica Arnold, runner-up; Mitchell - Alex Robertson, winner; Stephanie Huff, runner-up; Niedringhaus - Ian Nesbit, winner; Rachel White, runner-up; Prather - Timothy Baker, winner; Alexandria Schrader, runner-up; Wilson - Heather Mayer, winner; Ryan Laird, runner-up; Worthen - Kelly Bone, winner; Desi Jeliazkova.

Fourth grade: Frohardt - Sean Glenn, winner; Shawn Morales, runner-up; Lake - Ashley Marshall, winner; Ashley Murphy, runner-up; Maryville - William Schrader, winner; Keelar Muckenstrun, runner-up; Marshall - Nicole Sorenson, winner; Ashley Staggs, runner-up; Mitchell - Jerry Lynn, winner; Jaimee Leisgang, runner-up; Niedringhaus - Kristin Kwiatkowski, winner; Alycia Dioneda, runner-up; Prather - William Casey, winner; Amanda Royer, runner-up; Wilson - Terra Cappel, winner; David Beasley, runner-up; Worthen - Jason Monroe, winner; Silvia Jeliazkova, runner-up.

Fifth grade: Frohardt - Laura Hildebrand, winner; Hannah Sparks, runner-up; Lake - Jennifer Odom, winner; Jeremia Brown, runner-up; Maryville - Chad Feeney, winner; Holly Odom, runner-up; Marshall - Isaac Rose, winner; Tabitha Stufflebean, runner-up; Mitchell - Carrie Taylor, winner; Christopher O'Shia, runner-up; Niedringhaus - Dillon Simon, winner; Kyle Carpenter, runner-up; Prather - Joshua Schneider, winner; Tracy Smith, runner-up; Wilson - Joy Becherer, winner; Brittney Vaughn, runner-up; Worthen - Natalie Koehler, winner; Dinae Fleming, runner-up.

Sixth grade: Frohardt - Korey McManamy, winner; Derek Sanchez, runner-up; Lake - Anna Valencia, winner; Robert Schone, runner-up; Maryville - Eric Cromer, winner; James Gauen, runner-up; Marshall - Randy Mathenia, winner; Rachelle Lopez, runner-up; Mitchell - Jacob Seley, winner; Andy Flood, runner-up; Niedringhaus - Aaron Asperger, winner; Lindsey Weidner, runner-up; Prather - Erick Vanhauss, winner; Kinsey Kell, runner-up; Wilson - Sarah Smothers, winner; Josh Harris, runner-up; Worthen - Teri Mendenhall, winner; Kelly Meyer, runner-up.



Let Us Help You Make This A Valentine's Day You And Your Sweetheart Will *Never* Forget! Treat Yourself & Your Sweetheart To A Romantic Vacation Get-away... or Just Let Her Know You Care With The Perfect Valentine Gift!

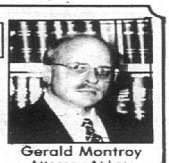
We Have Money When You Need It!

CALL OR COME BY OUR OFFICE FOR FAST FRIENDLY SERVICE! Phone Applications Welcomed

Subject to our usual credit policy.

Security Finance
210 E. Main St • Collinsville, IL
346-9107 WAC

MEDICAL MALPRACTICE
• Birth Injuries • Surgical Errors
• Medication Mistakes
• Unexplained Death
FREE CONSULTATION
618-397-9191
Belleville • St. Louis



Gerald Montroy
Attorney At Law

Kloss' FURNITURE factory outlet

GRAND OPENING
Plus....
6 MONTHS FREE!!

No Frills Just Low Bills!

NO INTEREST NO PAYMENTS FOR 6 MONTHS
MINIMUM DOWN PAYMENT REQUIRERD



SOFA $399
Transitional style sofa in blue & burgundy plaid. Reg. $690, **SALE $399**, Love Seat. Reg. $599, **SALE $359**, Matching chair. Reg. $479 **SALE $259**, Ottoman. Reg. $299, **SALE $159**, Queen sofa bed. Reg. $990, **SALE $539**.



SOFA $399
Transitional style sofa in floral stripe. (Fringed pillows included). Sofa Reg. $690, **SALE $399**. Love seat, Reg. $599, **SALE $379**. Matching chair, Reg. $479, **SALE $259**. Ottoman, Reg. $299, **SALE $159**. Queen Sofa Bed, Reg. $990, **SALE $539**



SOFA $399
Casual style sofa that is available in many colors at this special price! Sofa, Reg. $676, **SALE $399**. Love seat, Reg. $624, **SALE $379**. Matching chair, Reg. $509, **SALE $299**. Queen size sleeper, Reg. $984, **SALE $579**



SOFA $449
Country style sofa that is available in many extra value covers. (All at this special price.) Sofa, Reg. $817, **SALE $449**. Love seat, Reg. $710.95, **SALE $409**. Sofa sleeper, Reg. $1,111, **SALE $639**.



SOFA $499
Unbelievable value! Traditional style sofa in a jade green with coordinating fringed pillows! Sofa, Reg. $897, **SALE $499**. Love seat, Reg. $807, **SALE $459**. Matching chair, Reg. $585, **SALE $309**. Ottoman, Reg. $330, **SALE $169**. Queen sofa sleeper, Reg. $1,197, **SALE $619**.



SOFA $499
Transitional style sofa that has many great covers available! Sofa, Reg. $972, **SALE $499**. Love seat, Reg. $914, **SALE $469**. Matching chair, Reg. $605, **SALE $329**. Ottoman, Reg. $232, **SALE $119**. Queen size sleeper, Reg. $1,252, **SALE $699**.



RECLINING SOFA $639
Reclining sofa with wood trim. Available in many colors. Reclining sofa Reg. $1,027, **SALE $639**. Reclining love seat, Reg. $959, **SALE $599**. Stationary love seat, Reg. $869 **SALE $539**. Matching recliner, Reg. $650, SALE $449.



RECLINING SOFA $579
Reclining sofa available in many colors. Sofa, Reg. $936, **SALE $579**. Reclining love seat, Reg. $869, **SALE $539**. Stationary love seat, Reg. $699, **SALE $439**. Matching rocker recliner, Reg. $624 **SALE $409**



BENCHCRAFT SOFA $559
Traditional styled sofa that is a tremendous value! Sofa, Reg. $884, **SALE $559**. Love seat, Reg. $808, **SALE $519**. Chair, Reg. $585, **SALE $389**. Sleeper, Reg. $1,129, **SALE $729**. Matching chair, Reg. $711, **SALE $459**.



SOFA $549
Country styled sofa with great accent pillows. Sofa, Reg. $971, **SALE $549**. Love seat, Reg. $896, **SALE $519**. Matching chair, Reg. $559, **SALE $329**.



SOFA $499
Exposed wood country sofa in a rich beige and hunter green fabric. You have to see this! Sofa, Reg. $927, **SALE $499**. Love seat, Reg. $837, **SALE $449**. Marching chair, Reg. $629, **SALE $339**. Ottoman, Reg. $389, **SALE $209**.

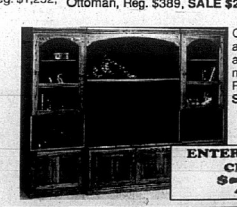


Casual leather chair and ottoman that swivels and reclines. Available in a bunch of different colors. Reg. $480 **SALE $299**

YOUR CHOICE $299

Recliner is available as rocker or zero wall proximity chair. Many fabrics to choose from. Reg. $520 **SALE $299**





Country home ciname in autumn oak finish accomodates most 35" monitors. Reg. $1,350 **SALE $799.95**

ENTERTAINMENT CENTER $799

Kloss' FURNITURE factory outlet

*With credit approval. Regular deposit required. Minimum purchase of $499. This sale is good at Kloss Furniture Factory Outlet ONLY.

2670 Plaza Dr. • Highland ••On Highway 40 - 1/4 mile west of Kloss' Main Store • 618-654-7847

Hours: Open Sunday 12-4 pm Mon. 9:30 am - 8 pm Tues.-Thurs. 9:30 am-5 pm Fri. 9:30 am-8 pm Sat. 9:30 am-5 pm

SPECIAL MATTRESS PURCHASE
Discontinued Cover
$399 Queen 2 pc. set

3RD ANNUAL COUNTRY TREASURES
FOLK ART & CRAFT SHOW
JAN. 31 & FEB. 1 & 2
BELLE-CLAIR FAIRGROUNDS EXPO BUILDING
ROUTE 13 & 159
BELLEVILLE, IL
FRIDAY 4PM-8PM
SATURDAY 10AM-5PM
SUNDAY 10AM-4PM
$2.00 ADMISSION DAILY
CHILDREN UNDER 12 FREE
STROLLERS NOT RECOMMENDED
SCHEDULED EVENTS:
KMOV CHIEF METEOROLOGIST TRISH BROWN SATURDAY 11AM-1PM
WIL FM 92 LYNN STEWART SATURDAY 11AM-1PM
REGISTER TO WIN COUNTRY TREASURES GIFT CERTIFICATES



EST. 1991

MARKETVERIT PROMOTIONS, INC
COUNTRY TREASURES SHOWS
P.O. Box 9 Fredonia IL 62275
Phone 618 539 3375
Fax 618 539 8731

Today's Food

Wednesday, January 29, 1997

Food & Nutrition

Wise Ways

Big batch, hot foods need safe treatment year-round.
INSIDE

Heart-y Bites

Color and variety, flavor and nutrition make sweet potatoes an all-winter hit.
INSIDE

Blue Ribbon Cook

Ground beef 'pie' hits a three-pointer when shot at the buzzer after work.
INSIDE

Test Run

Fruity flavors try to make yogurt, milk more appealing.
INSIDE

Micro Raves

Bag a salad and dress with fresh flavors.
INSIDE

Lively Taste

Spice up chicken. Arrange 6 boneless, skinless chicken breast halves in 13-by-9-inch baking dish. Bake in preheated 350° oven 20 minutes. Place 1 can (14 ounces) artichoke hearts, drained and quartered, around chicken. Pour mixture of 1 can (about 10-3/4 ounces) low- or no-fat cream of mushroom soup (with pepper and spices, if desired), 3/4 cup salsa and 1/4 teaspoon cumin on top. Sprinkle with 1 can (2-1/4 ounces) black olives, drained. Bake 25 to 30 minutes until chicken is no longer pink in center. Makes 6 servings.

Health & Fitness

Medicine Chest

Glaucoma is a common cause of blindness, affecting nearly 80,000 people in the U.S. Diagnosed early, it usually can be treated effectively with eye drops. The simple test is not painful. Annual exams can detect glaucoma to begin treatment before damage is permanent.

Fresh Picks

Keep Belgian endive away from light to avoid bitterness. A small, cigar-shaped head of tightly-packed, cream-colored leaves, it is grown in darkness to prevent it turning green. Buy it in crisp, firmly packed heads with pale, yellow-green tips. Now in its peak, it should be kept wrapped in a paper towel inside a plastic bag, then refrigerated to use within two days. Its slight bitterness offsets the flavor of milder lettuce in salad. Individual leaves can hold a zesty filling to serve among appetizers.

Big Fat Tip

Eating more fiber-rich foods usually results in eating less fat. For instance, a cup of carrots, broccoli or other vegetable in a portion of spaghetti sauce, lasagna or soup yields three grams fiber and less need for meat and cheese. Grated carrot in spaghetti sauce adds a sweetness that goes undetected in texture. Ditching a cookie at coffee break and starting an apple, pear or dried fruit routine is a positive step. According to nutrition studies, the easy task of getting enough fiber can improve intestinal function, lower risk of colon cancer, reduce blood cholesterol and help control blood sugar.

Future Shop

According to results of a national essay contest for children ages seven to 16, family dinner is not in jeopardy. Filling the blanks in 'I would like to have dinner at the Olive Garden (Restaurant) with ——— and discuss ———,' more than one-fourth the 2,000 entries chose a family member, friend, teacher or principal. President Bill Clinton was chosen by 84 children; 58 chose basketball star Michael Jordan. Youthful actor Jonathan Taylor Thomas and statesman George Washington were next.



Kaffee Klatsch

Top photo: Double Chocolate Cake, above, and Glazed Citrus Loaf

Coffees: Left to right, Crowning Glory, Italian Espresso Float, Milk Chocolate Espresso

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

When I was growing up, my family heritage of being a guest revolved around coffee.

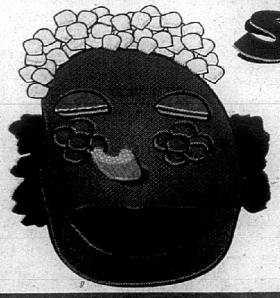
Someone knocked on the door, someone answered the door, someone disappeared momentarily. The next aroma was the wafting brew of roasted darkness coming from environs unseen.

After a few minutes of chit-chat, the scene moved into the kitchen where cups were filled with a dark liquid from which rose a disappearing string of steam.

Those aunts and uncles who added cream or milk to

SEE KAFFEE, INSIDE TODAY'S FOOD PAGE 2





SPUD FACE

Kids' Cuisine

Bake a small white potato. Wearing ovenproof mitts, transfer to serving plate until cool enough to handle. For easier handling, slice potato in half lengthwise and lay cut-side down. Form face with canned or cooked vegetables. Using melon baller or other handy kitchen utensil, carve 2 holes in potato for eyes and pack with peas. Use sliced carrot halves above eyes for eyebrows. Poke hole in middle of potato and stick in asparagus spear or fresh celery stick for nose. Beet slice makes the mouth. Form bunches of corn kernels at top of potato for hair. Two bunches of spinach on either side of potato make the ears. Reheat face by placing in hot conventional oven 5 minutes or in microwave at medium-high power 1 minute.

Today's Food

Test Run



Dairy products with fruit flavors are coming to market to offer more appealing, healthier drinks for all ages.

It's milk 'n' yogurt for dairy flavor

Flavored dairy drinks are shooting for high scores among those craving a refreshing alternative to soft drinks. Tasters sampled SMILK, fruit-flavored skim milk, and Kemp's Yo-J, nonfat yogurt juice sweetened with natural fruit juices. Both are found in the dairy case.

Nutritionally, both products provide the same daily values as fat-free milk or yogurt. Rich in calcium and protein, they are lower in sugar than most soda (24 vs. about 30 grams per cupful), flavored tea and other fruit juice drinks.

Between 1964 and 1993, glaring statistics show annual per capita consumption of soft drinks grew from 17 to 48 gallons, while milk consumption dropped from 24 to 19 gallons.

The goal of Smilk's producers is to offer it any place a person might select a soda, sport drink or juice, including the breakfast and lunch table at school. Locally it is available now in raspberry jazz, orange vanilla and very-very strawberry flavors at Wal-Mart Supercenter food stores. A one-quart carton costs $1.25.

While some tasters called its consistency "non-filling and refreshing," another said the obvious: "It's a lot like milk." A chocolate variety is not part of the line.

Raspberry jazz took center stage at one point in the explosion of color and flavor.

A taster, who considers herself a discriminating lover of berry flavor, said, "I'm always disappointed by anything raspberry not living up to what it should be, but this makes the grade."

Another transferred the concept to her family.

"I would encourage my kids to drink this, being certain that they would. That it doesn't have the fat of milk is even more encouraging," she said.

Several tasters anticipated orange-flavored SMILK to taste like a frozen orange pop on a stick. Responses ranged from positive to a feeling it missed the mark.

Another taster thought the flavor left behind resembled the sweetness usually found on kid-marketed cereal.

When tasters moved on to Yo-J, there was a new burst of interest.

Testers thought they found more natural fruit flaor in both strawberry and orange blends. Yo-J also is available in strawberry-banana flavor.

A candid taster said, "These are surprisingly more like juice than the yogurt idea which I didn't find appetizing."

Yo'J contains 10 percent fruit juice from concentrate, with a 1-cup serving of either flavor providing 100 percent of the U.S. recommended daily allowance of vitamin C.

Compiled by Bob Johndrow, student in the Hospitality-Restaurant Management Program, St. Louis Community College.

Heart-y Bites

By BECKY BLAIR

Sweet potato romances the home all winter

Holidays of 1996 are just on photos. Even though leftovers are a memory, this sweet potato casserole continues to tantalize my taste buds through the winter.

The sweet potato is a tuber of a plant native to Central America. Today it grows in all tropical regions of the world. Columbus encountered it in Haiti in 1492. It was the first "potato" taken to Europe from the New World.

King Henry VIII of England was reported to favor sweet potatoes baked into a pie, believing they would improve his love life, which would serve as a good story while serving it as a grand finale to a romantic Valentine's Day dinner.

Contrary to popular belief, the sweet potato is not related to the ordinary white potato. Its lineage is connected more closely to a flower, the morning glory.

Like an ordinary white potato, a sweet potato usually is eaten cooked. However, its sweetness inspires a greater variety of ways to prepare it.

It frequently is found in pie, bread, muffins, cake, pudding, cookies and marmalade. It is a popular ingredient in Creole cooking. Vegetable curries of India often include it. Candied sweet potatoes are a Thanksgiving tradition all over the U.S.

People recognize it on their plate mashed or baked in a conventional or microwave oven, but a new choice is to dry it for chips.

Wash and peel a raw sweet potato. Slice it thinly, season it, spray it with nonstick cooking spray and bake it until crisp to make gourmet chips. Serve as an appetizer or meal accompaniment.

The flavors of cinnamon, nutmeg, honey, lime and coconut heighten the sweetness of sweet potato. This same sweetness enhances poultry, pork or ham when it is served as a vegetable side dish. Cooked sweet potatoes can be frozen, if they need to be kept longer than a few days.

This versatile vegetable is rich in vitamins A, C and E, has lots of fiber and, like a white potato, is naturally low in fat.

The orange juice in this low-fat sweet potato casserole supplies folate and the same amount of vitamin C as half an orange. Calories can be decreased by omitting the marshmallows and replacing the brown sugar with a low-calorie brown sugar substitute.

The yam, another tuber with an oblong shape, could be confused with a sweet potato, but it usually is not available in the commercial market. It is starchier than the sweet potato, but its biggest drawback is it contains only a trace of vitamin A.

For a twist on a recipe using ordinary white potatoes or winter squash, be innovative and use sweet potatoes instead.

Registered dietitian Becky Blair is a member of the nutrition committee of the American Heart Association, St. Louis Chapter.

SWEET POTATO CASSEROLE

- **1 can (15 oz.) sweet potatoes in light syrup, drained**
- **2 tbsp. frozen orange juice concentrate, thawed**
- **1 tbsp. brown sugar**
- **¼ tsp. cinnamon**
- **1 tsp. vanilla**
- **1/8 tsp. grated orange peel**
- **⅓ cup minimarshmallows**

Drain sweet potatoes. Place in 1- to 1½-quart microwave-safe dish. Mash with fork.

Mix in orange juice concentrate, brown sugar, cinnamon, vanilla and orange peel. Microwave on high power 3 minutes.

Top with marshmallows. Microwave on high power 1 to 2 minutes longer.

Serve warm.

Yields two (¾-cup) servings; 275 calories, no protein, 1 g fat, 69 g carbohydrate and 3.5 g dietary fiber each.

Country Pie handy for coming home

Dorothy T. Koenig, St. Louis, is winner of this week's recipe contest for Country Pie. The prize is dinner certificates from the Pasta House Co.

She calls this recipe a mainstay when she was a working mom. She asks, "What is better than hamburger, tomatoes and cheese, unless it is more of the same?" The recipe can be varied beyond its very-tomato flavor with Italian or Mexican seasoning or flavored tomato sauce.

A bargain is that it bakes at one sitting, so an appetizing dinner with salad easily tossed can be ready in less than an hour. It is attractive as it is served, with the rice mixture becoming a colorful and tasty meat pie filling.

Recipes in this month's Dried Bean Recipe Contest should be postmarked by Friday for consideration as a winner during February.

One recipe per household can be sent to: Dried Bean Recipe Contest, Suburban Journals, 1714 Deer Tracks Trail, St. Louis, Mo. 63131. A prize from the Pasta House Co. will be awarded each of the four Wednesdays in February.

As usual, if there is a history to the recipe, it will be considered part of the entry. Along with taste and eye appeal, it will be used as a basis for selecting winners.

COUNTRY PIE

- **2 cans (8 oz. each) tomato sauce**
- **½ cup bread crumbs**
- **1 lb. ground beef**
- **¼ cup chopped onion**
- **¼ cup chopped green bell pepper**
- **1½ tsp. salt**
- **1/8 tsp. pepper**
- **1/8 tsp. oregano**
- **1½ cups quick-cooking rice, uncooked**
- **1 cup water**
- **1 cup (4 oz.) grated cheddar cheese**

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease 9-inch pie plate.

In bowl, combine ½ cup (½ can) tomato sauce, bread crumbs, ground beef, onion, green pepper, 1 teaspoon salt, pepper and oregano. Mix well with fork. Pat gently in bottom and well up side of prepared pie plate.

Combine rice, remaining 1½ cups tomato sauce, ½ teaspoon salt, water and ½ cup cheese. Spoon into meat shell.

Cover dish with aluminum foil. Bake in preheated oven 25 minutes. Uncover. Top with remaining ½ cup cheese. Bake, uncovered, 10 to 15 minutes longer.

Makes 5 or 6 servings.

Micro Raves

By BETTY SERATI

Dressing makes, breaks interest in fresh salad

"Five a day!" cry health professionals. The printed press and television news echo the call to Americans to eat at least five servings of fruits and vegetables every day to achieve a healthier lifestyle.

For many who rely on fast food or "meat and potatoes," this poses a dilemma. Enter the salad. Always a popular meal accompaniment, it is adopted a staple at meals in many households to help fill the five-serving quota.

Salads pose their own dilemma. They either can be boring bowls of plain iceberg lettuce, or they can be complicated with too much "stuff" to chop.

Betty Serati specializes in microwave cooking.

POPPY SEED DRESSING

- **½ cup sugar**
- **2 tbsp. flour**
- **2 eggs, well beaten**
- **¾ cup pineapple juice (juice from 20 oz. can of pineapple chunks can be used)**
- **1 tbsp. cider vinegar**
- **1 tbsp. butter or margarine**
- **2 tsp. poppy seeds**

Combine sugar, flour and eggs in 1-quart microwave-safe bowl. Stir in pineapple juice, vinegar and butter. Cook on high power 3 minutes or until thickened. Stir in poppy seeds. Chill.

Serve over lettuce, spinach leaves or fruit.

Makes about 1 cup dressing.

KAFFEE

Continued from page 1C.

their hot and steamy mixture would laugh at calling it "latte." To encourage a young person's taste buds into succumbing to coffee's lure, they offered their own version of flavored coffee: half coffee, half milk with a generous spoonful of sugar.

The coffee was a natural as it could be seen and smelled. The miracle was homemade sweet cake or cookies that appeared from nowhere as a luxurious companion to the bitterly-appealing drink. If the cookies were a bit dry — the precursor of biscotti — so much the better for a "dunk."

Even today homemade cake or bread is easy to have and hold in a freezer. Slice it in servings, cover tightly and freeze for a quick reprieve in a microwave oven.

For tips about cookies and sharing them, a free booklet is available by writing to: Cookie Exchange, Arm & Hammer, P.O. Box 130A, Spring House, Pa. 19477. For a collection of six recipes that add new twists to coffee drinking, send two proof-of-purchase symbols from Maxwell House Italian espresso roast coffee to: Maxwell House Italian Espresso Roast Drink Collection Offer, P.O. Box 490527, El Paso, Tex. 88549-0527.

DOUBLE CHOCOLATE CAKE

- **1½ cups flour**
- **1 tsp. baking soda**
- **½ tsp. baking powder**
- **1 cup (2 sticks) butter or margarine, softened**
- **1¾ cups packed brown sugar**
- **3 eggs**
- **1 cup buttermilk**
- **4 squares (1 oz. each) unsweetened chocolate, melted, cooled**
- **2 tsp. vanilla**
- **½ to 1 cup chopped walnuts**
- **2 oz. white chocolate**

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease and flour 10-cup fluted tube pan.

In small bowl, combine flour, baking soda and baking powder.

In large bowl, using mixer at low speed, beat butter and brown sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, scraping bowl occasionally. Add buttermilk, melted chocolate, vanilla and flour mixture. Beat until well blended. Stir in walnuts.

Spoon batter into prepared pan. Bake in preheated oven 1 hour or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

Cool on wire rack 10 minutes. Remove from pan. Cool completely.

To serve, melt white chocolate over low heat. Spoon into small resealable plastic bag. With scissors, cut small tip from corner of bag. Drizzle over cake.

Makes 12 servings.

GLAZED CITRUS LOAF

- **2 cups flour**
- **½ tsp. baking soda**
- **¼ tsp. salt**
- **1 cup sugar**
- **½ cup (1 stick) butter or margarine, at room temperature**
- **2 eggs**
- **½ cup milk**
- **2 tbsp. lemon juice**
- **1 tbsp. grated lemon peel**
- **2 tsp. grated lime peel**
- **Glaze**
- **Slivered lemon and lime peels, for garnish**

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease 8-by-4-inch loaf pan.

In small bowl, combine flour, baking soda and salt.

In large bowl, using mixer at low speed, cream sugar and butter until well blended. Add eggs. Beat until smooth. Add flour mixture, milk, lemon juice, lemon and lime peel. Beat until well blended.

Spoon mixture into prepared pan. Bake in preheated oven 50 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.

Remove loaf from oven. With wooden skewer, poke many holes in cake. Pour Glaze over cake. Garnish with slivered lemon and lime peels.

Glaze: In small saucepan over medium heat, bring ⅓ cup sugar and ⅓ cup lemon juice to boil.

COFFEE SPECIALTIES FOR ONE

Crowning Glory: In large cup or mug, spoon 2 tablespoons frozen whipped topping, thawed, onto ¾ cup freshly-brewed espresso roast coffee. Sprinkle with ground cinnamon or grated semisweet baking chocolate squares.

Italian Espresso Float: In large cup or mug, carefully pour ¾ cup freshly-brewed espresso roast coffee over ¼ cup coffee or vanilla ice cream, or top ice cream with hot coffee. Serve immediately.

Maple Espresso: Place 1 tablespoon maple pancake syrup in large cup or mug. Add ¾ cup freshly-brewed espresso roast coffee. Stir to dissolve.

Raspberry Latte: Place 1 teaspoon seedless raspberry jam in large cup. Add ¾ cup freshly-brewed espresso roast coffee. Stir to dissolve. Stir in 2 tablespoons milk.

WINTER APPLE CAKE

- **1 cup granulated sugar**
- **½ cup (1 stick) butter or margarine, at room temperature**
- **2 eggs**
- **1¼ cups flour**
- **¼ cup buttermilk**
- **1 tsp. baking powder**
- **1 tsp. baking soda**
- **2 tart green apples, peeled, cored, cut in ½ inch chunks**
- **Confectioner's sugar**

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease 9-inch springform pan.

In large bowl, using mixer at low speed, beat sugar and butter until well blended. Add eggs, flour, buttermilk, baking powder and baking soda. Stir in apples.

Spoon batter into prepared pan. Bake in preheated oven 1 hour.

Today's Food

Wise Ways

Simmer soup-erb meal, cool it down quickly

Whether it is a January thaw or February freeze, people crave simple comfort foods like soup.

A big steaming pot of soup simmering on the stove fills the bill, warming from the inside out.

A pot of hot soup present is its own set of food handling challenges.

If not handled properly, it can turn into a witch's brew loaded with bacteria and toxins they produce.

It is not soup's fault.

Bacteria are everywhere — in the air, soil and water.

They are carried in people's skin, hair and clothing. A sneeze or a cough propels thousands of these microscopic creatures into the immediate environment.

Given food and a comfortable environment, like a big pot of warm soup, bacteria multiply rapidly.

Ideal conditions enable them to double every 15 minutes. In eight hours just one bacteria can increase to more than 16 million. Thus, perishable food like soup never should be held at room temperature more than two hours.

Even in a refrigerator, large quantities of soup or other food can take long hours to cool to a temperature low enough to prevent bacteria growth.

Place hot food in small, shallow pans less than 2½ inches deep. To let heat leave more quickly, wait to cover it until it has cooled. Place it in a refrigerator so air circulates all around the food.

Check its temperature periodically to be sure temperature reaches 40° within 4 hours.

Thick products, such as chili or bean soup, do not cool fast enough even when they are in shallow pans. An ice bath is recommended.

Set the pan directly into ice water. Stir the food until it reaches 40°F, checked by a thermometer, replacing ice as necessary.

Twenty-Minute Minestrone at our house is so good and quick to make that there usually are no leftovers to store.

Use vegetables as desired, adding whatever is in season or plentiful at the grocery store. Zucchini, peas, green beans or any kind of cooked dry beans are especially tasty. Serve with fresh fruit and whole wheat bread for deliciously warm, safe comfort.

Certified family and consumer scientist Linda Blumenberg is nutrition specialist with University Extension (University of Missouri system) in Montgomery County.

TWENTY-MINUTE MINESTRONE

- 1 carrot, diced
- 1 small onion, chopped
- 1 rib celery, chopped
- 3 tbsp. water
- 4 cups reduced-sodium chicken broth
- 1 medium potato, diced
- ½ cup uncooked elbow macaroni
- 1 tomato, diced
- ½ cup shredded cabbage
- 1 tbsp. chopped parsley
- ½ tsp. basil
- ½ tsp. salt
- ¼ tsp. pepper
- 6 tbsp. grated parmesan cheese

Combine carrot, onion, celery and water in microwave-safe casserole. Cook 6 minutes, stirring once.

In large saucepan on conventional stove, bring chicken broth to boil. Add carrot mixture, potato, macaroni, tomato, cabbage, parsley, basil, salt and pepper. Simmer 20 minutes or until potato is tender.

Serve soup in bowls. Sprinkle parmesan cheese on top.

Recipe

OSSO BUCO

- 6 veal cross cut shanks, cut 1½ inches thick (about 4 lb.)
- 2 tbsp. olive oil
- 1 tsp. salt
- 1 cup chopped onion
- ½ cup finely chopped carrot
- 3 cloves garlic, crushed
- 1 can (14½ to 16 oz.) Italian-style diced tomato
- 1 cup dry white wine
- 1 tsp. leaf basil
- 1 tbsp. chopped fresh parsley
- 2 tsp. shredded lemon peel
- ½ tsp. finely chopped garlic

In Dutch oven, heat 1 tablespoon oil over medium heat until hot. Brown veal in 3 batches, stirring occasionally. Add remaining oil as necessary. Remove veal. Season with salt.

In same pan, cook onion, carrot and 3 cloves garlic 6 to 8 minutes until tender, stirring occasionally. Add undrained tomatoes, wine and basil. Return veal to pan. Bring to boil. Reduce heat to low. Cover tightly. Simmer 1½ hours or until veal is tender.

In small bowl, combine parsley, lemon peel and ½ teaspoon garlic, a combination called gremolata.

Remove veal to warm platter. Keep warm. Skim fat from cooking liquid. Bring to boil. Cook until slightly thickened, stirring occasionally.

Spoon about ¾ cup sauce over shanks. Sprinkle with gremolata. Serve with remaining sauce.

Makes 6 servings.

Oven directions: Use ovenproof Dutch oven or roasting pan.

WITH HOME CARE, YOU GET ALL THE COMFORTS OF HOME.

Plus the care of skilled health professionals with Memorial's Home Care Service

Home Care provides skilled professional treatment and care for those who are recovering, disabled or chronically ill. Our professionals, registered nurses, physical therapists, medical social workers, home health aides, occupational and speech therapists provide service on a part-time intermittent basis under the direction of your physician.

Memorial Home Care Services is an Illinois licensed and Medicare certified home care agency with services reimbursed by Medicare, Blue Cross-Blue Shield, Medicaid and many other private insurances.

Home Care may be utilized when:

- A person, with recurring problems associated with a chronic disease or terminal illness, needs support and assistance.
- A patient requires continued nurs ing or therapy service following hospitalization, however, prior hospitalization is not necessary for acceptance into this program.

For more information about Memorial Home Care Services, call (618)257-5700

MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
4500 Memorial Drive
Belleville, Illinois 62226

Keep Your NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION This Year

lose weight...get in shape... and feel GREAT!

THE WELLNESS CENTER OFFERS
Fitness Classes and Health Promotion Programs to help improve your self-image and enhance your quality of life.
•aerobics •body toning •weight loss •fitness over fifty and a full-service fitness center

FOR A FREE WORKOUT, CALL THE WELLNESS CENTER TODAY!
THE PROVIDENCE WELLNESS CENTER
2103 IOWA STREET GRANITE CITY 798-3WEL
affiliated with Saint Elizabeth Health Services

HOURS: M-F 8AM-7PM SAT 8AM-6PM SUN 11AM-4PM

CIONKO'S INC.
QUALITY MEATS
2901 MADISON AVE
451-5200 OR 451-5204
SAME LOCATION SINCE 1929

WE ACCEPT VISA MASTERCARD FOOD STAMPS

GOOD 1-29 THRU 2-4-97

99¢ SALE 99¢ SALE

EXTRA LEAN GROUND BEEF (IN 5# PKGS.) 99¢ LB

LEAN TRIM CENTER CUT PORK STEAKS $1.39 LB (3 TRAY LIMIT) 99¢ LB.

GRADE A FRESH FRYER BREAST (10# LIMIT) 99¢ LB

HOMEMADE BULK SAUSAGE (10# LIMIT) 99¢ LB.

BEEF, CHICKEN, PORK K-BOB'S (A PIECE) 99¢ LB

CHOPPED SIRLOIN (WITH ANY ADD'L. $10 PURCHASE IN 10# PKGS. ONLY) LESS THAN 10# .... $1.19 LB 99¢ LB.

41# FREEZER SPECIAL
$64.95 Average $1.58 Per Pound
5 lbs. QUARTER LOIN CHOPS
4 lbs. SIRLOIN STEAK
5 lbs. BEEF ROAST (Arm or Chuck)
10 lbs GROUND BEEF (1-2 lb pks)
4 lbs. PORK STEAK
5 lbs. BULK or 3 lbs LINK SAUSAGE (Plain, Garlic or Italian)
2 lbs. BACON
6 lbs. FRYERS (Cut Up)

STUFFED CHOPS.... $3.79 LB
STUFFED BREAST.. $3.79 LB

DELUXE 42# FREEZER SPECIAL
$84.95 Average $2.02 Per Pound
ALL CENTER CUTS
5 lbs. PORK CHOPS
4 lbs. STEAKS (T-BONE OR RIB EYE)
5 lbs. BEEF ROAST (BONELESS)
5 lbs. PORK STEAKS
10 lbs GROUND CHUCK
5 lbs. BULK or 3 lbs LINK SAUSAGE (Plain, Garlic or Italian)
2 lbs. BACON (CENTER CUT)
6 lbs. FRYERS (Cut Up)

ONLY OAK STORE WITH NO IMPORTS, PARTICLE BOARD OR FORMICA!

100% USA OAK ENTERTAINMENT CENTERS . CLEARANCE 15% TO 55% OFF

#A875GLXRP LIST $3,584 NOW ONLY $1,890

#6217 LIST $1,096 NOW ONLY $565

#6254BVL LIST $1,462 NOW ONLY $749

HOME THEATRE GROUP 88" WIDE 78" HIGH

#3817RP LIST $584 NOW ONLY $289

FREE 90 DAY LAYAWAY

OAK ROUND OR SQUARE ROUND DOUBLE PEDESTAL TABLE

ALL FIRST QUALITY NO SECONDS OUR STORE IS FREE OF TAIWAN IMPORTS, PARTICLE BOARD AND FORMICA, NOT JUST OUR ADVERTISED ITEMS.

AT SOME STORES WHAT YOU SEE IS WHAT YOU GET. AT BAREWOOD YOU HAVE 3 CHOICES, FACTORY READY TO FINISH OR CUSTOM FINISH TO MATCH YOUR DECOR.

REG. $3,020 SALE $1,590

OAK PIE SAFE $365

100% USA $269

OAK JEWELRY ARMOIRE AVAILABLE IN CHERRY, WALNUT, QUEEN ANNE OR TRADITIONAL

OAK ENTERTAINMENT CENTERS

$299

OAK JEWELRY ARMOIRE 4 DRAWERS NO PARTICLE BOARD 4 FELT LINED 100% U.S.A. MIRRORED TOP $239

TAPE STORAGE GLASS DOORS HOLDS 30 TVS $365

LIST $629 EVERYDAY $299

CHINA HUTCHES IN SOLID OAK

SOLID OAK QUEEN ANNE COFFEE & END TABLES Your Choice $99

ROUND OR SQUARE ROUND TABLE 48" x 54"

No Sales Tax Required For Missouri Residents

COMPUTER DESKS

SALE PRICE $360

Solid Oak & Ash STOOLS Your Choice 18", 24", 30" $24.90

TV CARTS $89

SALE PRICE $539

OAK BARRISTER BOOKCASES LIST $489 SALE $389

LADDER RACK CHAIRS $29.90 Your Choice Slat or Hard Woven Palm Seat

BAREWOOD FURNITURE A COMPANY WHICH UNDERSTANDS WHAT AMERICAN TRADITION AND QUALITY ARE ALL ABOUT

• SLEIGH BED • 5 DRAWER CHEST • 6 DRAWER TRIPLE DRESSER • HUTCH STYLE MIRROR W/DRAWERS • DOVE TAIL DRAWERS • DUST SHIELDS

Reg. $3050 $1850

No Selected Veneers Covering Up Particle Board — ALL SOLID OAK

Solid Oak BEDROOM SUITE 199

3 CHOICES AT BAREWOOD
1. FACTORY FINISH Light, Medium, Dark
2. CUSTOM FINISH In Your Choice Of Stain To Match Your Decor
3. READY TO FINISH Natural Oak Ready To Finish With Stain Or Varnish
All Are Made In The Same Factory, With Completely Do The Finishing Product.

PLEASE NOTE: ONLY OAK STORE WITH NO PARTICLE BOARD, NO TAIWAN IMPORTS, 90% OAK FURNITURE, MONEY BACK PORTABLE FURNITURE SOLD HERE

HANDCRAFTED WITH PRIDE IN THE U.S.A. "LARGEST SELECTION OF READY TO FINISH FURNITURE IN METRO AREA"

STYLES MAY VARY FROM ILLUSTRATIONS • PRIOR SALES EXCLUDED • SPECIAL PRICED ITEMS EXCLUDED

BAREWOOD FURNITURE GALLERY • FACTORY FINISH • CUSTOM FINISH • READY TO FINISH 618-344-0316

FREE DELIVERY

Today's Food

Here's how you can Get A Grip On Arthritis

Call us.

The Arthritis Service of Southern Illinois at Memorial Hospital can put you in touch with professionals that can help you get a grip on your pain. Memorial's Arthritis Service of Southern Illinois is an outpatient diagnostic clinic for anyone suffering from musculoskeletal or joint problems.

The service includes:
A visit to The Arthritis Service of Southern Illinois includes an examination by an orthopedic surgeon and an internist and also may include examination or consultation with a physical therapist, orthopedic nurse, occupational therapist, dietitian and social worker. X-rays and lab tests may be ordered as well.

Fees are charged according to services received. Examinations are by appointment only and physician referral is not required. For your convenience, a copy of your evaluation report will be sent to your physician.

Date:
Friday, February 7, 1997

Information:
For an appointment, call Memorial's Physical Therapy Department at 257-5250.

We're close. After all, when you are trying to get a grip on arthritis, you need something to hold on to.

Donald I. Serot, M.D.,
Orthopedic Surgeon
Co-Director, Arthritis Service
Judith Wuller, M.D.,
Internist Co-Director,
Arthritis Service of Southern Illinois

at
MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
4500 Memorial Drive
Belleville, Illinois 62226

Quick breads fulfill flavorful prophecy fast

Busy cooks love quick breads. They are easy to prepare and their intense flavors are a popular addition to a meal or snack.

A loaf of traditional quick bread, however, often contains as much as a cup of oil or margarine. Fortunately, quick tricks make these breads lighter, boost their nutrition and enhance their flavor.

Quick breads are easy to prepare and usually bake in less than an hour, but "quick" refers to their not relying on yeast — and the time it takes — to rise. Dating from the 19th century, quick breads are usually leavened with baking soda and/or baking powder.

Overworking the dough leads to it becoming tough. Before measuring the flour, fork-stir it to aerate it, then whisk it with leavening agent, salt and any dried herbs or spices in the recipe.

Add fat or fat substitutes, such as nonfat yogurt or applesauce, next. Liquids — usually eggs, milk and vanilla — should be beaten in a separate bowl, then combined with the flour mixture, using a few swift strokes. Spread the dough evenly in a loaf pan.

Add texture and flavor to quick breads with crunchy chopped nuts, used sparingly because of their high fat content. Dried fruits provide flavor, as well as fiber, to bread batter. Avoid the temptation to cut large slices when serving quick breads, because calories still count, even when the fat has been reduced.

Registered dietitian Melanie Polk is director of nutrition education for AICR in Washington.

CINNAMON CARROT BREAD

- **1 cup raisins**
- **¾ cup all-purpose flour**
- **¾ cup whole wheat flour**
- **2 tsp. cinnamon**
- **1 tsp. ground ginger**
- **½ tsp. nutmeg**
- **1 tsp. baking soda**
- **1 tsp. baking powder**
- **¼ tsp. salt**
- **1 egg**
- **3 tbsp. oil**
- **¾ cup low-fat yogurt**
- **½ cup packed brown sugar**
- **1 tsp. vanilla**
- **1 cup finely shredded carrot**
- **1 tbsp. uncooked oats**
- **1 tbsp. oat bran**

Preheat oven to 350°. Grease 8-by-4-inch loaf pan or line it with waxed paper.

Pour boiling water over raisins. Let stand 5 minutes. Drain thoroughly.

Combine flours, cinnamon, ginger, nutmeg, baking soda, baking powder, salt and raisins.

In large bowl, beat egg until fluffy. Beat in oil. Mix in yogurt, brown sugar and vanilla. Stir in carrot. Add flour mixture. Stir until well combined.

Pour batter into prepared pan.

Combine oats and oat bran. Sprinkle over batter.

Bake in preheated oven 50 to 55 minutes until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean.



FEELING FIT
By Mark Lymberopoulos

New winter sport–snowboarding–is said to be safer than skiing. Equipment: mountaineering boots and a short surfboard-like superski that the boots can buckle onto.

"Stair-climber's feet", a numbness or tingle during a stair-climbing workout, is usually temporary. It's caused by compression of forefoot nerves. Avoid it by standing upright, keeping a flat-footed position on the pedals and wiggling toes now and then. Limit workout time.

What to eat when: best bet before exercise is a meal of complex carbohydrates that release their sugars gradually, avoiding sugar rush or hypoglycemia. Simple sugars replenish energy after exercise. Follow with a nutritious meal within two hours.

New Study at Columbia University School of Public Health found that women who exercised regularly through pregnancy had larger (read "healthier") babies than those who were sedentary. Only intense, pounding exercise during the last trimester proved problematic.

There's an exercise class for everybody–with the custom features you need at

Feldwire World Health Club
RT. 157/I-70
Collinsville
344-3095
Make us your fitness headquarters.

PATIO DOORS REPAIRED OR REPLACED
Granite City Glass
1837 Madison Ave.
877-5400

UNITY Advantage

You Are Special When You're 55 Years of Age or Older at St. Elizabeth's Hospital of Belleville

A $10 Membership Dues to the Unity Advantage Program entitles you to benefits which include:
- Assistance with Insurance Forms
- 25 percent Discount in Cafeteria
- Special Programs and Social Events
- Discounts on Wellness Classes and Health Screenings

For information call 234-2120, ext. 1575

For more information about St. Elizabeth's Hospital visit us online at http://www.spci.net/~ste/ on the World Wide Web.

An Affiliate of Hospital Sisters Health System

UNITY HEALTH NETWORK

WE KNOW THE GROUND HOG WON'T SEE HIS SHADOW SO.....

1ST TIME EVER!

0% FINANCING FOR 2 YEARS!*



GROUND HOG DAY SPECTACULAR!

STOREWIDE SAVINGS!
FAMOUS BRANDS!

OFFER GOOD THURSDAY, JANUARY 30TH - MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3RD.

BEDROOMS · DINING ROOMS · SOFAS · SLEEPERS · CLOCKS · BEDDING · DESKS & MUCH MUCH MORE!

Mueller's
FURNITURE COMPANY
Free Delivery ★ Prior Sales Excluded

HOURS:
MON & FRI 9AM-8PM
TUES,WED,THURS & SAT 9AM-5PM
1004 EAST MAIN
BELLEVILLE, IL 62220

233-0667

*Offer Good On Min. Purchase $899, 20% down and approved credit.



With free nights and weekends all year, there's never been a better time to break down in the middle of nowhere.

GET A FREE PHONE, FREE ACTIVATION plus FREE NIGHTS AND WEEKENDS FOR THE REST OF 1997. SIGN UP NOW FOR AN ELIGIBLE SERVICE PLAN TO GET THE MOST TIME AVAILABLE AT COMMUNICATION CONCEPTS

COMMUNICATION CONCEPTS

377-4760
66 AIRPORT PLAZA
BETHALTO, IL

344-7930
551 BELTLINE RD.
COLLINSVILLE, IL

692-6025
3006 S. St. Rt. 159
Next to Blockbuster
GLEN CARBON, IL

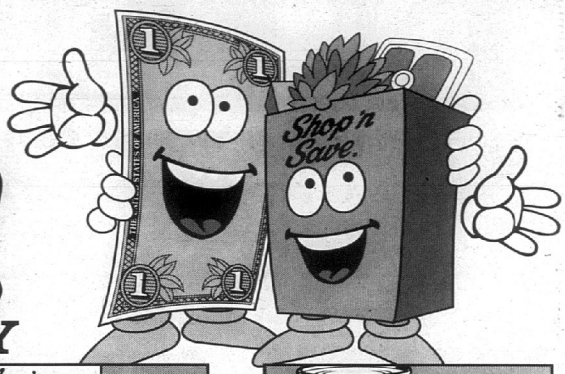
Only from Ameritech Cellular: The one with proven call quality.

Ameritech
Authorized Cellular & Paging Dealer

Contract required. Restrictions apply. 3 year contract required for free phone. Free phone model may vary. Free airtime applies to local usage only. Normal talk, fees, and taxes may apply to usage of free local airtime. A 2 year minimum paging contract required. Paging offer may not be available at all locations. Limited time offer.

Total Value!

EVERY DAY IN EVERY WAY





12/12-OZ. CANS, SPRITE,
Coca-Cola Classic or Diet Coke
3/6.99
12/12-OZ. CANS



ASSORTED VARIETIES
Doritos Tortilla Chips
2/4.95
14.5-OZ. BAG



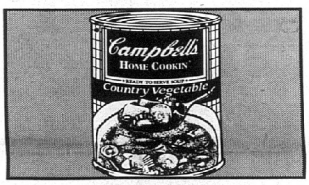
Kellogg's Corn Flakes Cereal
2/$4
24-OZ. BOX



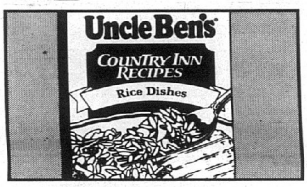
REGULAR OR HOT, WITH BEANS
Chilli Man Chili
69¢
15-OZ. CAN



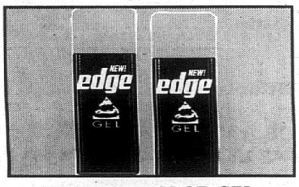
24-CAN CUBE
Pepsi, Diet Pepsi or Mountain Dew
4.88
24/12-OZ. CANS



CAMPBELL'S
Home Cookin Vegetable Soups
1.09
19-OZ. CAN



ASSORTED VARIETIES
Uncle Ben's Country Inn Rice
69¢
4.9-6 OZ. PKG.



SHAVE CREAM OR GEL
Edge or Skintimate
OUR LOW SALE PRICE $1.29
29¢
7-10 OZ. CAN
AFTER $1.00 OFF MAIL-IN REBATE AVAILABLE IN-STORE
LIMIT 2 WHILE SUPPLIES LAST

SHOP 'N SAVE
Wheat Sandwich Bread 99¢ 24-OZ. LOAF

SQUEEZE
Shop 'n Save Ketchup..... 69¢ 28-OZ. BTL.

CREAMY OR CRUNCHY
Shop 'n Save Peanut Butter 99¢ 18-OZ. JAR

LONG
Shop 'n Save Spaghetti..... 2/$1 16-OZ. PKG.

Shop 'n Save Apple Juice..... 99¢ 64-OZ. BTL.

17-OZ. BOX POST COCOA OR FRUITY PEBBLES OR
Nabisco Shredded Wheat 2/$5 23.6 OZ. BOX

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Five Brothers Spaghetti Sauce.. 1.99 17-26 OZ. JAR

WITH MEAT
Campbell's Home Cookin Soups 3/$4 19-OZ. PKG.

REG. OR W/ALMONDS
POST
Honey Bunches of Oats Cereal 2/$4 16-OZ. BOX



Efidac 24 Decongestant.... 2.49 6-CT. PKG.

4-PACK AA OR AAA
Energizer Batteries..... 2.39

2-CT. C OR D OR 1-CT. 9-VOLT
Energizer Batteries..... 1.99

Ultra Flame Firelog..... 1.29 5-LB. LOG

REG. FREE/CLEAR OR W/BLEACH, LIQUID
All Laundry Detergent.... 3/9.99 128-OZ. BTL.

ULTRA LIQUID
Snuggle Fabric Softener..... 2.99 40-OZ. BTL.

REG. OR SPRING BLOSSOM
Snuggle Fabric Softener Sheets 2.99 80-CT. PKG.

Shop 'n Save®

IOTA VALUE

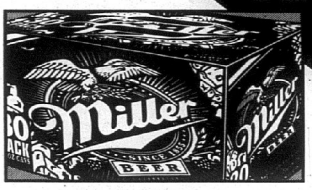
♪ The more you shop the more you save.sm ♪

01291A

THE BEST-

Shop 'n Save Liquor Dept. VALUES!

Liquor Prices Good at Illinois Stores Only. Some items not available at all stores.



TOTAL VALUE

GENUINE DRAFT, MILLER LITE OR
New Miller
1197
30/12-OZ. CANS

Walker's Deluxe
1189
1.75-LTR. BTL.

Zima	449 6-L/N N/R BTLS.
6-L/N N/R BTLS. KILLIANS.....$4.39	
Busch	2/178 24-OZ. CANS
Coors Light	599 12/12-OZ. CANS
REG., LIGHT OR ICE Milwaukee's Best	699 24/12-OZ. CANS
Miller High Life	999 30/12-OZ. CANS
REG. OR LIGHT Schaefer	379 12/12-OZ. CANS
Glen Ellen White Zinfandel	399 750-ML. BTL.
Bartles & Jaymes Coolers	2/$5 4-PACK
Bag Ice	69¢ 8-LB. BAG

CANADIAN CLUB OR 80 PROOF Smirnoff Vodka	799 750-ML. BTL.
Mr & Mrs. T's Mixers	2/$5 32-OZ. BTL.
Kahlua	1199 750-ML. BTL.
Jim Beam	779 750-ML. BTL.
Seagram's Gin	1099 1.75-LTR. BTL.
SELTZER, CLUB SODA OR Vess Tonic	2/$1 1-LTR. BTL.
SELECTED VARIETIES Paul Masson Wine	2/$5 1-LTR. BTL.
Turning Leaf Chardonnay	599 750-ML. BTL.

Please-Be Responsible
Don't Drink & Drive

Shop 'n Save Health & Beauty VALUES!





ALL VARIETIES
SHAMPOO OR CONDITIONER
Salon Style
159
15-OZ. BTL.

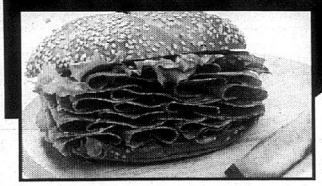
Tagamet HB 200 Tablets
199
6-CT. PKG.

78-CT. OVERNITE OR 84 CT. REGULAR Polident Denture Tablets	439
Vaseline Intensive Care Lotion	249 10-OZ. PKG.
MOTRIN SUSPENSION OR Tylenol Child Suspension	449 4-OZ. BTL.

24-CT. SINUS OR 50-CT. EXTENDED RELIEF OR EXTRA STRENGTH Tylenol Pain Reliver	399
12-HOUR Tavist D Cold Tablets	299 8-CT. PKG.
REGULAR OR GEL Aquafresh Toothpaste	99¢ 6-0.4 OZ. TUBE

Bakery, Seafood & Deli Dept. VALUES!

Bakery, Deli, & Seafood not available at all stores





Swift Hard Salami
299
lb.

Alaskan Whitefish Fillets
199
lb.

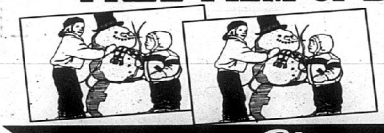
JENNIE-O Honey Turkey Breast	399 lb.
Alpine Lace Swiss Cheese	299 lb.
Patrick Cudahy Boiled Ham	299 lb.
Cooked Salad Shrimp	399 lb.

SAN FRANCISCO Sour Dough Bread	99¢ 16-OZ. PKG.
Decorated Sheet Cake	499 1/8 SHEET
Strudel Bites	149 14-CT. PKG.
Farm Fresh Whole Catfish	269 lb.

More Great Values In-Store!

Shop 'n Save Photo Processing

Your Choice of Single Prints Plus
FREE FILM or DOUBLE PRINTS



379
EVERYDAY
24-exp.
3 1/2 inch prints

Shop 'n Save Family Video Center



EVERYDAY LOW RENTAL PRICES!

ALL NEW RELEASE	ALL OTHER TITLES
99¢ EACH	49¢ EACH

ALL VIDEO GAMES 99¢ EACH
AT STORES WITH VIDEO CENTER ONLY

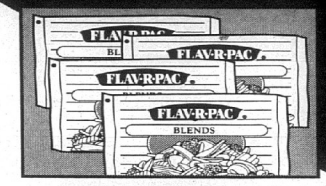
01292C

FOR LESS!

FROZEN FOOD & DAIRY VALUES



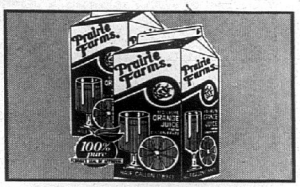
ASSORTED VARIETIES
Red Baron Pizza
3/9.95
24.2 OZ. PKG.



ASSORTED VARIETIES
Flav•R•Pac Vegetable Blends
4/$5
16-OZ. BAG



SHOP 'N SAVE
Crescent or Cinnamon Rolls
99¢
8-12.4 OZ. PKG.



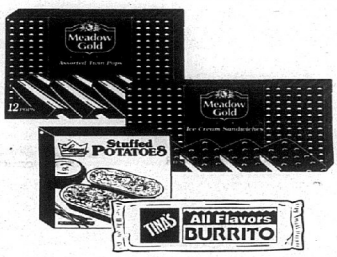
PLASTIC OR PAPER, CHILLED
Prairie Farms Orange Juice
2/$3
HALF GALLON

ASSORTED VARIETIES STUFFED
Larry's Potatoes..... 2/1.99
10-OZ. PKG.

ASSORTED VARIETIES
Tina's Burritos... 4/.99
4.25-5 OZ. PKG.

Meadow Gold Twin Pops..... 3/$2
6-CT. PKG.

DREAM BARS, ICE CREAM SANDWICHES
Meadow Gold Fudge Bars..... 2/$2
6-CT. PKG.





Shop 'n Save 1/2% or Skim Milk
2.17
GALLON

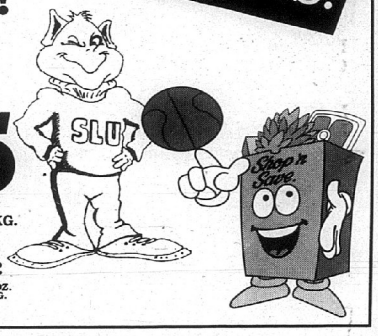
Shop 'n Save® and these fine products are proud sponsors of St. Louis University Basketball!

LET'S GO BILLIKENS!

REG. OR LAMB & RICE
Purina O.N.E. Dog Food
12.99
20-LB. BAG

Keebler Zesta Saltines
1.29
15-16 OZ. PKG.

12-INCH
Tombstone Pizza
3/9.95
19.4-24.3 OZ. PKG.



ONION DIP OR
Prairie Farms Sour Cream.... 99¢
16-OZ. CTN.

ASSORTED VARIETIES FULL LINE
Weight Watchers..... 4/$5
VARIOUS SIZES

ELBOW MACARONI, VERMICELLI OR
R•F Spaghetti..... 67¢
16-OZ. PKG.

We Discount All Pre-Priced Products Every Day!



ALL GREETING CARDS **DISCOUNTED 20%** FROM MANUFACTURERS MARKED PRE-PRICE

ALL BOOKS & MAGAZINES **DISCOUNTED 10%** FROM MANUFACTURERS MARKED PRE-PRICE

ALL PRE-PRICED BAG SNACKS **DISCOUNTED 10%** FROM MANUFACTURERS MARKED PRE-PRICE

ALL ENTENMANN & HAAS ITEMS **DISCOUNTED 10%** FROM MANUFACTURERS MARKED PRE-PRICE



01293B

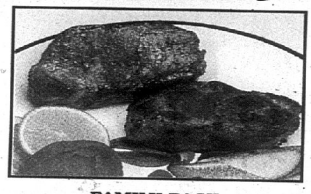
TOTAL VALUE



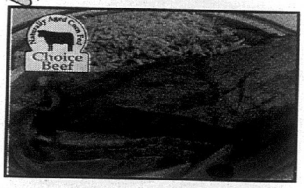
ALL NATURAL
Hudson Split Chicken Breast
97¢ lb.
LIMIT 3 PKGS.



FRESH PICNIC STYLE
Pork Callie Roast
69¢ lb.
LIMIT 3 PACKAGES



FAMILY PACK
Pork Cutlets
1.99 lb.



USDA CHOICE CORN FED BEEF
Boneless Charcoal Steak
1.79 lb.
FAMILY PACK



FAMILY PACK, LEAN
Boneless Beef Stew
1.99 lb.

FRESH
Klements Bratwurst..... 2.39 lb.

Jennie-O Ground Turkey 89¢ 1-LB. ROLL

Ol Springhill Corn Dogs..... 2.99 3-LB. BOX

ALL VARIETIES
Swift Brown & Serve Sausage.. 99¢ 7-OZ. PKG.

STICKS OR FILLETS
Mrs. Paul's Breaded Fish.... 2.99 16.7-19.1 OZ. PKG.

REGULAR OR LITE
Hygrade Ballpark Franks..... 1.69 1-LB. PKG.

DELI CARRY OUTS
Oscar Mayer Lunchables..... 2/$4 6-10 OZ. PKG.

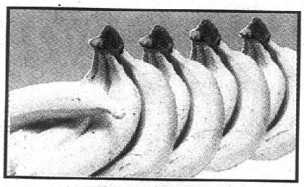
CHUNK
Kahns Braunschweiger 1.69 1-LB. PIECE

SELECTED VARIETIES
Claussen Pickle Slices..... 2/$5 20-OZ. JAR

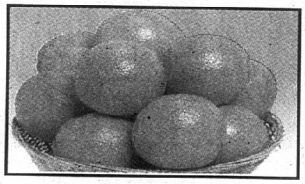
ALL VARIETIES
Hillshire Smoked Sausage 2.39 1-LB. PKG.

Farmland Sliced Bacon.... 2.19 1-LB. PKG.

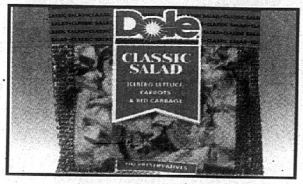
ALL MEAT
Hygrade Sliced Bologna... 1.29 1-LB. PKG.



GOLDEN RIPE
Premium Bananas
45¢ lb.



California Navel Oranges
2.98 10 POUND BAG



Dole Classic Salad Blend
1.98 3 POUND BAG



Try These Exotic Varieties!
NOT AVAILABLE AT ALL STORES

FRESH, PORTABELLA
Mushrooms..... 2.98 lb.

FRESH
Cilantro..... 88¢ BUNCH

HYDROPONIC
Bibb Lettuce.... 98¢ HEAD

FRESH
Radicchio..... 2.48 lb.

MELISSA, DRIED
Red Tomatoes.... 2.28 3-OZ. PKG.

MELISSA, ELEPHANT
Garlic Slices..... 3.88 1.5-OZ. PKG.

fruits & vegetables
5 a Day–for Better Health!

MICHIGAN
Jona-Gold Apples..... 78¢ lb.

MEDIUM
Yellow Onions..... 98¢ 3-LB. BAG

FLORIDA
Red Grapefruit..... 1.68 5-LB. BAG

Tender Green Asparagus..... 1.98 lb.

CRISP
California Carrots..... 78¢ 2-LB. BAG

The Finest Quality & Selection

BROCCOLI WOKLY
Mann's Stir Fry..... 1.98 1-LB. BAG

Sunkist Pistachios..... 3.98 1-LB. BAG

Audubon Park Wild Birdseed.... 3.98 25-LB. BAG

Shop 'n Save®

The more you shop the more you save.SM

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
			29	30	31	1

- PRICES GUARANTEED THRU FERBRUARY 1, 1997 AT ALL ST. LOUIS METRO STORES ONLY
- WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT • NO SALES TO DEALERS • FOR LOCATIONS CALL (314) 984-0900

DISCOVER NOVUS · MasterCard · VISA · Bankrate

01294A

Auto Show '97

Sport-utility vehicle market booming

The auto industry goes through as many trends as the fashion business. Currently, car buyers are fascinated by trucks—sport-utility vehicles, or SUVs.

In response, domestic and import manufacturers are building SUVs as fast as they can, which will quickly become evident when touring the 15th edition of the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show.

More than 500 new 1997 cars, vans, light trucks and SUVs will be on display at the show.

Through focus group studies, manufacturers—who see no lessening of the demand for SUVs anytime soon—found many reasons why people buy SUVs.

Manufacturers also learned fewer SUV buyers are taking their vehicles off-road than ever before. Recent studies show less than 10 percent of the buyers ever put their SUVs in four-wheel drive or ever drive on a dirt road or trail. SUVs are effectively replacing station wagons of yesteryear.

Increasingly, as SUVs are experiencing more day-to-day use, additional car-like features are being added that make the vehicles feel less truck-like.

Women are emerging as the hottest demographic group in the truck- and SUV-buying categories. Ford will sell almost 50 percent of its Ford Explorers and pickup trucks to women.

Some of the reasons women buy trucks/SUVs include styling; a sense of safety; the high seat position gives a better view of the road; and four-wheel drive enables safer driving in bad weather.

Subaru hit the road with its Outback all-wheel-drive station wagon, calling it the world's first "sport-utility wagon." Indeed, the image of Australian movie star Paul Hogan and the new slogan locked the concept of a go-anywhere vehicle in the minds of the buying public.

Subaru's Outback is first a car—with truck-like features. SUVs are trucks first and cars second, as Detroit works to blend car-like handling, ride and drive while retaining the rugged styling to enhance the buyer's image.

Mazda is working the SUV image into its MPV minivan, calling it the "sport-utility van," featuring an SUV look, a V-6 engine and on-demand four-wheel drive. Ford is into the full-size market with its new Expedition, taking on Chevy's Suburban, Tahoe and GMC Yukon. Lincoln, meanwhile, is offering an upscale edition called Navigator.

Also to be considered when browsing the SUV market is the emerging subcompact segment, such as the Kia Sportage, the Suzuki X-90 and Toyota RAV4. The RAV4 is an SUV body placed on a car platform. Likewise, Honda has a similar plan in the works, debuting the CR-V on a Civic platform. CR-V stands for "Comfortable Runabout Vehicle." RAV4 stands for Recreational Active Vehicle with four-wheel drive.

Suzuki entered the subcompact SUV market with its Samurai in the early 1980s, predating the Chevy Blazer in 1986 which often is noted as the first true SUV.

Mercedes-Benz also will enter the category this fall with its AAV, or All-Activity Vehicle, roughly the size of a Jeep Cherokee.

Ross Roberts, Ford's general manager, recently acknowledged his company is looking at other options in the subcompact area.

"I think there's a big portion of the market on the small SUVs like the Toyota RAV4, and all of us are looking at what we're going to do with that segment of the market," Ross told members of the New England Motor Press Association.

Roberts sees no saturation point in the SUV market.

In 1986 there were about 275,000 SUVs sold, Roberts said. Last year 1.75 million were sold, and sales could top the 2 million mark within three years, he said.

"It's the segment that's driving the market more so than ever before," he said.

The luxury side of the SUV category also has grown, with many carmakers offering amenity-laden models of their regular SUVs. Upscale carmakers that added SUVs this past year include:

Acura SLX, an upscale Isuzu Trooper;

Ford Expedition, a replacement for the Bronco;

Lexus LX450, an upscale Toyota Land Cruiser;

Mercury Mountaineer, an upscale Explorer;

Oldsmobile Bravada, an upscale Blazer/Jimmy with all-wheel drive.

For 1997, shoppers can expect:

Infiniti QX4, an upscale Nissan Pathfinder;

Mercedes-Benz AAV, an upscale all-new vehicle;

Lincoln Navigator, an upscale Ford Expedition.

Auto show drives into St. Louis

More than 500 new domestic and imported autos, sport-utility vehicles, light trucks and vans will be featured at the 1997 Greater St. Louis International Auto Show.

The show runs Jan. 29 through Feb. 2 at the America's Center, 701 Convention Plaza in St. Louis, including the Cervantes Convention Center and Trans World Dome.

Hours for the show are 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Jan. 29 through 31; 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Feb. 1; and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Feb. 2. The box office will close one hour before the show closes daily.

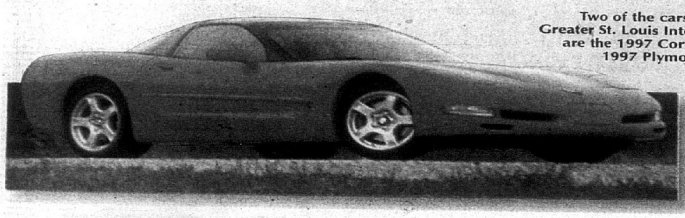
Tickets are $8 for adults and $3 for children ages 6 through 12. Children ages 5 and younger will be admitted free.

Adult half-price coupons for Jan. 29 only are available at all Schnucks Markets. Also, discount coupons offering $2 off the ticket price for adults are available at Schnucks stores and participating auto dealers.

Special attractions at the show include "Yugo Next," an art exhibit of recycled Yugo automobiles, and NASA's Technology Highway, a display of high-tech innovations.

For more information, call 1-800-258-8912.

The show is sponsored by the Greater St. Louis Automotive Association Inc. It is produced by Reed Exhibition Companies, Auto Show Division.





Two of the cars featured at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show are the 1997 Corvette, left, and the 1997 Plymouth Prowler.

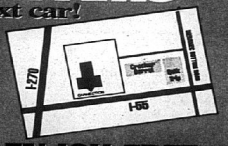
BEHLMANN'S Carnection PRE-OWNED MEGACENTERS™

It's a whole new way to buy your next car!

NOW OPEN IN SOUTH COUNTY AT 1-55 & MERAMEC BOTTOM RD

COME SEE OUR FIRST ALL-NEW LOCATION!

LOCATED OFF I-55 AT MERAMEC BOTTOM ROAD IN SOUTH COUNTY - CALL 416-1600 OR 1-888-227-6321 TOLL FREE



Coupes

96 GRAND AM6 Auto, Air, 20 To Choose	From $13,990
96 ECLIPSE RS Auto, Air, Low Miles	From $15,996
96 CAVALIER Auto, Air, PL	4 To Choose -
96 OLDS ACHIEVA Auto, Air, Cass	SC Coupe
96 CAMARO Z28 Black, Auto	17,xxx Miles
95 FIREBIRD T-Top, 25,xxx Miles, CD	$16,782
95 ECLIPSE Auto, Air, 17,xxx Miles	Black
95 3000 GT SL Loaded	$21,361
95 MONTE CARLO LS's 5 To Choose	From $14,989
95 MIRAGE Coupes, 5 To Choose	From $8,775
94 METROS Auto, Air	From $6,990

Sedans

96 LUMINA Loaded, 20,xxx Miles	$15,988
96 GRAND PRIXS 10,xxx Miles, 20 To Choose	From $14,990
96 SKYLARKS V6, PW/L, Your Choice	$12,990
96 TAURUS GL Loaded, Nice	$16,944
96 GRAND AM6 10,xxx Miles, 20 To Choose	$13,990
96 GALANTS Auto, Air, Quality Cars	$14,990
95 GALANTS Auto, Air, 12 To Choose	$12,967
95 OLDS 88 ROYALE Loaded	$15,996
95 OLDS ACHIEVAS 10 To Choose	$11,966
95 BONNEVILLES SE, Loaded	$15,948
95 OLDS CIERAS SL, Red Tagged	$11,666
95 CONTOUR Auto, Air, Tilt, Cruise	16,xxx Miles
95 CORSICAS Auto, Air, 10 To Choose	$8,990
95 CROWN VICTORIAS LX, Loaded	$16,504
95 LUMINAS V6, Auto, Air	From $12,994
95 PARK AVENUES Loaded	$18,946
95 REGALS PW/L, V6, Air	$13,996
95 TAURUS GL's PW/L, Tilt, Cruise	From $13,960
94 SUNBIRDS Auto, Air, 30 To Choose	$7,990
94 SUNDANCE Auto, Air, 10 To Choose	$7,990
94 TEMPO GL's Auto, Air, Your Choice	$8,966
94 SHADOWS Auto, Air, 5 To Choose	$7,990
94 SPIRIT V6, Auto, Air	$10,990
93 BONNEVILLES SE, Loaded	From $13,990
93 CAVALIER V6, Cass, 5 Spd	$6,967
93 COUGAR XR7 PW/Seats	Teal
93 DIAMANTE LS Luxury & Performance	Green
93 ESCORT GT Alloys	Sharp
93 ESCORT LX 4 Dr, Blue	$6,926

Luxury Cars

96 DEVILLE Sedan, Green	$24,887
95 DEVILLE Roadster	$19,866
95 SEVILLE Roadster Pkg, Vogue Tires	$26,842
95 CONCOURS Moonroof, Polish Wheels	$20,968
95 RIVIERA Black, CD, Moonroof	$19,887
95 RIVIERA Dark Teal, Moonroof	$21,987
95 LINCOLN MARK VIII Loaded	$21,887
95 TOWN CAR Every Option, White	$22,487
96 CONTINENTAL Loaded, Green	$22,887
93 SEVILLE Like New, Burgundy	$17,887
93 DEVILLE Sedan, All Options, Blue	$15,985
92 DEVILLE Sedan, Roadster, Silver	$13,981

Sport Utilities

96 BLAZER LS's 4 Dr, 3 To Choose	From $21,383
95 BLAZER 4 Drs, LT & LS	4 To Choose
95 EXPLORER Eddie Bauer & Limited	4 Doors
94 BLAZER TAHOES 4x4	4 To Choose
93 BLAZER TAHOES 4x4	$16,988
93 EXPLORER XLT 4 Dr	$13,990
91 EXPLORER 4 Dr, 4x4	$13,990

GM Trucks

96 CHEVY 1-Ton, Dualie, X-Cab, Diesel	$26,990
95 GMC SIERRA SLE X-Cab, 5.7L, Loaded	$21,993
95 GMC 1500 SL Auto, Air, 14,xxx Miles	$15,220
95 CHEVY 1500 V8, Auto, Air, Teal	$18,404
95 CHEVY SILVERADO X-Cab, 4x4, 18,xxx Miles	$23,938
95 CHEVY SILVERADO X-Cab, 4x4, 5.7, Auto	$24,987
94 GMC Z71, Reg Cab, 4x4, 5.7L, Auto	$19,858
94 CHEVY 2500 X-Cab, 4x4, 3/4 Ton	$21,996
94 GMC 2500 4x4, X-Cab, Bedliner	3/4 Ton
94 GMC 1500 SLE X-Cab, Loaded	$17,784
94 CHEVY 1500 SILVERADO X-Cab	$19,998

Ford Trucks

96 F150 EDDIE BAUER 12,xxx Miles	$18,252
96 F150 XLT Teal, PW, Tilt, Cruise	$18,781
95 F150 Supercab, 4x4, Loaded	Black
92 F150 FLARESIDE V8, Reg Cab, Alloys	Sharp
93 F150 XLT V8, Auto, Air, PW/L	$12,987

Compact Trucks

96 SONOMA SLS Auto, Air	$14,487
95 SONOMA 19,xxx Miles, Like New	$14,990
94 RANGER Reg Cab, Air, Bedliner	$8,990
94 RANGER XLT Alloys	$9,890
94 S10 38,xxx Miles, Air	$10,890
94 TOYOTA 4x4 Deluxe, Air, 5 Spd	$15,313
92 RANGER XLT 4x4, PW/L	$10,988

Mini Vans

95 SAFARI EXPLORER Conversion, Beautiful	$19,988
95 SAFARI EXPLORER All Wheel Drive	$20,988
95 SAFARI EXPLORER Conversion	All Wheel Drive
95 SAFARI All Wheel Drive, Like New	SLT
95 WINDSTAR 4 Capt Chairs, Rear Air	LX
95 LUMINA APV'S 3 To Choose	$15,990
94 LUMINA APV'S 4 To Choose	$13,990

Full-Size Vans

95 GMC EXPLORER R/Rod, Level IV	2 TVs
95 GMC EXPLORER 22,xxx Miles, Loaded	$22,787
95 GMC CUSTOM CRAFT R/Air, 11,xxx Miles	$21,990
95 GMC CMC Conversion, R/Air & Heat	White
95 GMC AUTOFORM TV, VCP	17,xxx Miles
94 GMC EXPLORER Conversion, Loaded	Red Tag
94 GMC EXPLORER Conversion, Level III	Nice
94 GMC MARK III Conversion	$16,990
93 GMC AUTOFORM TV, VCP	$14,992
92 GMC SANTE FE Rear Stereo	Clean
92 GMC CHOO CHOO Raised Roof	Black
92 GMC TIARA Raised Roof, TV, VCP	Rear Air

Carnection CAR VALUE™

VEHICLES WITH A FEW MORE MILES FOR A FEW LESS DOLLARS

93 DODGE SPIRIT 4 Dr, Clean	$6,588
92 GEO STORM 5 Spd, Air, Cass	$6,989
92 SKYLARK 4 Dr, PW/L, Air, Cass	$6,989
92 METRO 5 Spd, Air	$4,921
92 ESCORT 2 Dr	$4,777
92 CROWN VICTORIA	$8,742
91 NEW YORKER 5TH AVE	$6,990
91 GRAND AM LE Coupe, PW/L	$7,498
91 GRAND AM LE Coupe, Sunroof	$6,831
91 TRACER WAGON Auto, Air	$7,960
91 MAXDA MX6	$6,990
91 LUMINA Auto, Air	$7,885
91 CAVALIER Coupe, Air, Cass	$5,499
90 CENTURY PW/L, Auto, Air	$6,985
90 LUMINA PW/L, Blue	$5,990
90 GEO TRACKER LSi Convertible	$7,447

ENJOY FREE HOT DOGS & SODA Fridays 4pm - closing & Saturdays 11am - closing

RED TAG GRAND OPENING PRICES CLEARLY MARKED ON EVERY CAR

COME BY & SEE OUR FIRST ALL-NEW CARNECTION LOCATION

OVER 600 CARS, TRUCKS & VANS IN STOCK! ALL MAKES! ALL MODELS!

PART OF THE MIDWEST'S LARGEST SELECTION OF PRE-OWNED CARS, TRUCKS & VANS - ALL MAKES - ALL MODELS

CAR FAX ON EVERY VEHICLE - WARRANTIES & FINANCING AVAILABLE

PLUS DOZENS OF INNOVATIONS DESIGNED TO MAKE BUYING YOUR NEXT CAR MORE FUN, CONVENIENT!

THIS IS JUST A PARTIAL LIST OF OUR INVENTORY!

SEE OUR COMPLETE INVENTORY ON THE WORLD WIDE WEB

CHECK-OUT OUR WEB PAGE

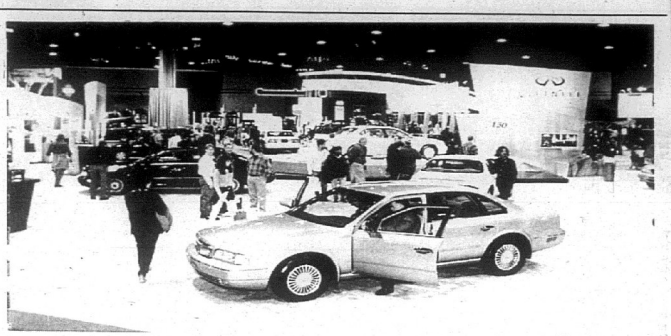
http://www.behlmannautomotive.com

Copyright 1996, Behlmann Automotive, Inc.

Many affordable cars are available

Domestic and foreign automakers worry increasingly that Americans born in the 1960s and early 1970s are proving to be a less-prosperous market than the graying baby boomers of the 1950s.

Over the last several years, automakers have sought to include lower-cost cars in their product lines.



Many automakers displaying vehicles at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show dave models with prices designed to attract first-time car buyers.

As people view the more than 500 new 1997 cars, trucks sport-utility vehicles, vans and minivans at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show, it's only human nature to think long and hard about which vehicles they'd like to drive home.

Most people glance first at the flashier, pricier models. Then, having satisfied themselves they would look quite good in them, they'll find the sticker prices and get reality checks: The average price of a new car sold in the United States today hovers around $20,000.

The harsh financial reality faced by the 25-and-younger generation is cars selling for a base price of $20,000 are out of reach for many buyers.

For nearly half a century the auto industry has struggled to satisfy the tastes of first-time car buyers on a budget. At today's prices, though, the vehicles offered to younger drivers cost a lot more than the classic first cars of the past.

In 1951 a Volkswagen Beetle, for example, listed for $1,280 — or $7,626 in today's dollars. A 1965 base model Ford Mustang sold for $2,368; that price in today's dollars would be $11,645. A 1971 base model Chevrolet Vega sold for $2,090; that would be $7,994 in today's dollars. And in 1986 a Suzuki Samurai sold for $6,300, which equals $8,763 in today's dollars.

Domestic and foreign automakers worry increasingly that Americans born in the 1960s and early 1970s are proving to be a less-prosperous market than the graying baby boomers of the 1950s.

Over the last several years, automakers have sought to include lower-cost cars in their product lines. But today's customers are demanding more of entry-level vehicles, even as they are less able to afford the amenities.

In response, the car companies are rethinking vehicle design and marketing strategies, aiming to match less-expensive cars and small trucks with buyers who cannot keep up financially with their older siblings.

Fortunately for first-car shoppers, quite a few 1997 vehicles are available for less than $20,000. To attract first-time buyers, Honda held prices level for redesigned vehicles like its 1997 Civic DX coupe. The company did so by organizing focus group studies to help it decide what features to omit so the price would stay low: $12,280.

Ford actually lowered prices on some versions of its Escort. The 1997 base model sells for $11,430. Ford and GM both plan to go after the youth market by designing compact sport-utility vehicles that could sell for less than $15,000.

So what's out there for first-time buyers on a budget? For starters, first-car buyers are not limited to the "subcompact" category. There are first-car options worth considering in the mid-size, full-size, pickups, vans and sport-utility categories as well. A 1997 four-door Toyota RAV4, for example, sells for $15,648, while a two-door base model Dodge Neon can be acquired for $10,395.

In the mid-size category, often referred to as "the heart of the new-car market," most leading family sedans — including the Ford Taurus, Chevrolet Lumina, Toyota Camry and Honda Accord — are affordable for first-time buyers, as long as they are purchased without a lot of optional equipment.

A mid-size car generally will carry five or six passengers, have a wheelbase of 106 to 110 inches and offer a choice of a four-cylinder or V-6 engine. Most carry base sticker prices of less than $20,000.

The full-size category typically includes older rear-wheel-drive designs, such as the Ford Crown Victoria, and the newer front-wheel-drive models, such as the Dodge Intrepid and Buick LeSabre.

A full-size car can generally seat up to six adults in comfort and have a V-6 or V-8 engine under the hood. Prices for some models start at just below $20,000.

Always make sure you're braking to a 'safe stop'

You've taken your car in for a brake system inspection and your mechanic says you need a brake job. But what does that mean? What's involved in a "brake job"? Why should you have it done?

According to automotive expert Tony Lux, who represents Allied-Signal Inc. Aftermarket Brake Division as the Bendix Answer Man, brake jobs can be classified under two broad headings — service and repair — and you should be aware of what's involved prior to having the work done.

Lux explains that brakes use both hydraulic pressure and friction material to stop a car. Pressure from the driver's foot pushes a piston into a master cylinder, forcing hydraulic fluid to each of the wheels. At each wheel, fluid pressure causes a piston or pistons in a caliper or in a wheel cylinder to move outward.

That movement forces the friction linings on the brake pads or shoes to rub against the metal rotors or drums that rotate with the wheels. Because the pads or shoes are anchored to a stationary part of the car, friction between their linings and the rotating discs or drums stops the car.

Most cars made during the last 50 years use a form of the system just described. Cars with power brakes also include a booster that uses vacuum created by the operation of the engine or hydraulic pressure to help your foot push the pedal. Even with today's cars having anti-lock braking systems (ABS,) the basic braking system has not changed.

Because friction stops the car, it's normal for brake linings to wear. Lux says that while most brake linings should last an average of 35,000 miles, your driving habits determine how long they will actually last.

The best way to tell if your brake linings need replacement is to have a certified mechanic conduct a thorough, annual brake system inspection. This way, you are assured your brakes are in proper working condition.

Lux adds that whenever you have your brake pads or shoes replaced, they should always be replaced on both wheels. Otherwise the friction may wear unevenly and could cause the car to pull sideways when the brakes are applied.

Many times, when brake pads of shoes are replaced, drums or rotors need to be resurfaced. Lux says brake drums and rotors should always be machined and that a nondirectional finish should be applied. Your mechanic does this by "turning" the drum or rotor on a lathe, while a cutting tool removes any unevenness on the surface.

"Whenever you have drums or rotors turned, be sure your mechanic does not remove more metal than is necessary from the surface," Lux says.

"If too much is removed, it can weaken the drum or rotor. That's why car makers generally stamp specifications right on those parts. While it's all right to resurface the parts within the limits, it's dangerous for a shop to cut the drums or rotors beyond those limits."

When is resurfacing necessary? Lux says it's called for any time a drum or rotor surface is grooved or uneven and if you're fitting new brakes, resurfacing is always needed. If the surface is just glazed, the glaze can often be removed by careful sanding.

Replacing brake shoes and pads, and resurfacing drums and rotors, are considered normal parts of routine brake system maintenance and servicing. The same can be said for replacement of brake hardware.

"But hardware should not be overlooked," explains Lux. "Hardware consists of small items including springs, levers, pins and bushings that keep major brake parts in position and working properly. Failure of any of these small but vital parts may cause serious problems."

Lux also stresses that when replacing shoes or pads, you should also closely inspect the wheel cylinders for signs of leakage. He points out that even a slight seepage of brake fluid is a tip off that hydraulic repairs are needed.

While periodic inspections will tell you if brake repairs or service are needed, in everyday driving your foot can also tell you if the hydraulic system needs work. One of the most common signals is a "spongy" feel to the brake pedal, indicating that air has gotten into the system.

"Most often, when air has entered a brake system it's because fluid has leaked out somewhere", says Lux. "The leak has to be found and fixed."

Considering the conditions hydraulic brakes endure — high operating pressures and temperatures as well as road hazards — it's amazing that leaks aren't more common. Steel brake lines, rubber hoses, the master cylinder, wheel cylinders, or calipers are all potential places for leaks to develop.

Often something external — a rock or debris in the road — can hit a brake line and cause a leak. Also, flexible brake hoses can deteriorate, and should be inspected as part of an annual safety check.

But internal rust — which cannot be seen — can also cause brake parts to fail. Rust inside the brake system can eventually clog brake fluid passages, can cause fluid valves to stick, or cause seal failure.

Rust can also eat away metal brake lines from the inside, leading to a rupture. If this occurs, it can cause the instantaneous loss of—more than half of a car's braking effectiveness, or cause the total failure of the entire braking system.

Lux says many hydraulic system problems can be prevented: "If people flush and replace their brake fluid annually as part of their regular preventive maintenance, they'd avoid a lot of potential problems. This is a very important part of a thorough inspection of the brake system and should not be skipped."

Lux said there really isn't much you can do about brake shoes and pads wearing eventually, since they accomplish their task through friction. However, thorough, annual brake system inspections can spot potential danger. Coupled with making sure your brake fluid doesn't suffer moisture contamination, these important maintenance procedures will ensure maximum life and performance from your brake system.

'97 NEON 4 dr.



4 cyl., air conditioned, power steering, power brakes, & more! Stock #3626

$10,437*

Many Full Size Ram 1500 Club Cabs 2 wheel and 4 wheel Drives! Come In Today!

CASSENS

FINANCING AS LOW AS 1.9%** OR up to REBATES $1500 on select vehicles

Stop By See Why EVERYBODY Comes To CASSENS

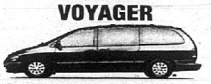
'97 PLYMOUTH BREEZE



Am/Fm/Cass., 4 cyl., cruise control, tilt wheel, rear defrost. Stock #8401

$13,248*

'97 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER



Driver's side sliding door, V-6, automatic transmission, speed control, Stock #5932

$17,676*

'97 STRATUS



4 cyl., 4 speed, auto transmission, cruise control, Am/Fm/Cass. Stock #0841

$14,710*

'97 AVENGER



2 dr., Am/Fm/Cass, air conditioning, speed control, tilt wheel, loaded! Stock #0330

$14,815*

'97 SEBRING LX 2 DR.



V-6, automatic, power windows, power locks, power mirrors, Am/Fm/Cass., cruise, tilt. Stock #8410

$16,805*

'97 RAM SLT 1500



5.9 V-8, SLT Pkg., loaded!, loaded!, loaded! Stock #6623

$18,723*

'97 DAKOTA



Sport pkg., V-6, rear sliding window & much, much more! Stock #9207

$14,441*

*Prices Include All Applicable Rebates Including $400 College Graduate Program...Tax, title, license, & D.O.C. fees extra.
**With Approved Credit Through Chrysler Credit

Cassens EDWARDSVILLE/GLEN CARBON CHRYSLER • DODGE • PLYMOUTH

Test Drive Today!

'96 STRATUS



Automatic, cruise, tilt, Am/Fm cassette, 5 to choose from, stock #1715... STARTING AT.....$11,575

'96 NEON HIGHLINE 4 door



Automatic, stereo, rear defrost, 5 to choose from, stock #6561 STARTING AT.....$8,995

'96 DODGE CARAVAN SE



Power windows, locks, tilt, cruise, dark glass, dual sliding door, 7 to choose from... STARTING AT.....$15,995

'96 CHRYSLER LHS



Loaded with all luxury std. items. 7 to choose from... STARTING AT.....$19,639

'96 CHRYSLER CIRRUS LX



Power windows, locks, tilt, cruise, 5 to choose from... STARTING AT.....$13,695

'96 DODGE AVENGER



Automatic, cassette, beautiful red color, Stock #6945... STARTING AT.....$11,840

Pre-Owned Specials

1995 Chrysler LHS, loaded with luxury, only 8,000 miles.....$17,995
1993 Dodge Ram 50 Pickup, 1 owner, low miles.....$7,495
1992 Plymouth Grand Voyager SE, full power, 1 owner.....$12,495
1993 Dodge Caravan SE, tilt, cruise, automatic, 1 owner, #7004.....$8,495
1992 Dodge Dakota Sport Pick up, low miles, sharp.....$7,495
1991 GMC Jimmy 4 Wheel Drive, full power, automatic.....$9,495
1995 Dodge Avenger 2 Dr., full power, automatic.....$12,495
1993 Chev. C1500 Pick up, white, V-8, 1 owner.....$9,995
1993 Pontiac Bonneville SSE 4 Dr., full power, 1 owner, low miles.....$11,995

Sales Hours: Mon.-Wed.-Fri. 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m./Tues. & Thurs. 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m./Sat. 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
3333 S. Hwy 159 • Glen Carbon • Across From Cottonwood Plaza • 656-6070

Latest models on display at auto show

The 15th annual Greater St. Louis International Auto Show will run Jan. 29 through Feb. 2 at the America's Center, 701 Convention Plaza in St. Louis.

Following are some of the newest industry products from some manufacturers featured at this year's show.

Acura
The new 2.2 CL and 3.5 RL replaced the Vigor and Legend, respectively. Acura is boosting the power in the flagship NSX with some minor body freshening. The Integra is due for a change in the spring of 1997.

Audi
This German carmaker follows its introduction of last year's A4 sedan with the all-new A8 sedan. The A4, which replaced the 90, gets a power boost with a turbocharged version of the 1.8-liter five-cylinder engine. The standard 2.8-liter V-6 remains. The turbo power plant will mate to a five-speed automatic transmission in either front-wheel or all-wheel-drive. A five-speed manual transmission is due later.

The A8 boasts two V-8 engine choices, a 3.7-liter or 4.2-liter, and the Quattro traction system on the larger power plant.

BMW
The arrival of the Z3 roadster has been heightened by news of a bolder six-cylinder engine with 50 additional horsepower in the near future. The 3-series gets a new grill for '97 and some minor cosmetic makeovers. Side door air bags now are standard on the 5- and 7-series. Back by popular demand is the 740i. The 8-series is unchanged. The M3 coupe is joined by a sedan offering an automatic, standard or autoshift stick.

Buick
Buick has remade its Century sedan, bringing into the 1990s a new platform, shape, size, styling and safety. The old door-mounted seat belts are finally history. The new Century is a little older, but wider, longer and roomier, affording seating for six.

The LeSabre receives a cosmetic freshening, while the Park Avenue sits atop a new platform, borrowed from the Oldsmobile Aurora, with a new body. Regal remains unchanged until an all-new model shows up within the next six months. Riviera gets more standard equipment, and the sprightly Skylark, recently made over, is basically unchanged.

Cadillac
Cadillac now has a lesser-priced luxury newcomer for 1997: Catera. A product from GM's Opel Division, Catera promises luxury at affordable prices. Catera's 3.0-liter V-6 generates 200 horsepower through the rear wheels, leaving it as Cadillac's lone rear-drive model. The last rear-drive holdover, Fleetwood, is discontinued.

Cadillac now has an Integrated Chassis Control System (ICCS) and side-door air bags. ICCS helps counteract skids and comes standard on DeVille Concours, Eldorado Touring Coupe and Seville Touring Sedan.

Chevrolet
Proving that nostalgia still can sell cars, Chevy resurrects the name Malibu which returns for '97. Malibu replaces the Corsica/Beretta. Corsica will last only until the Malibu is ready.

An all-new and long-awaited Corvette warms up January with a coast-to-coast unveiling at selected dealers nationally. The engine is an aluminum 5.7-liter V-8 pushing 340 horsepower through the rear wheels. A special edition of the Z28 Camaro, complete with orange stripes, renews the yearning for nostalgia and the good old days with plenty of power.

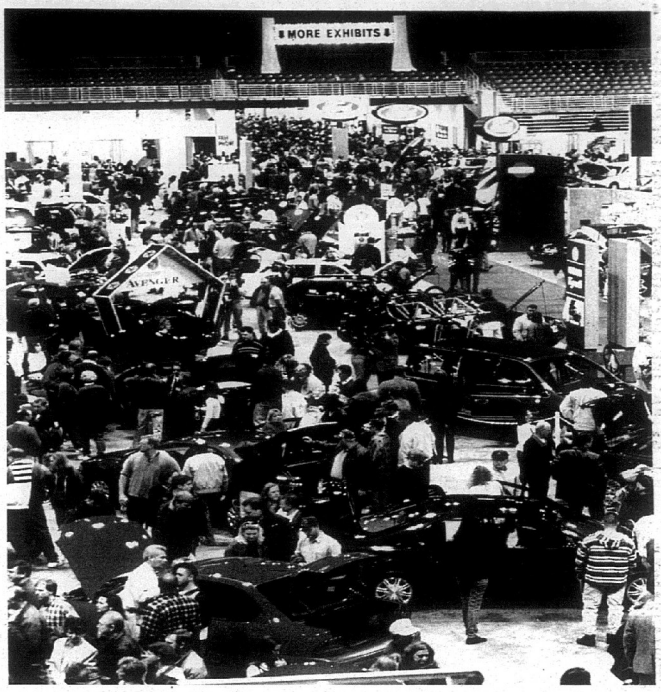
The Caprice sedan is discontinued. The Lumina receives an LTZ package that helped spiff up the floundering Caprice in its day before becoming the remade Impala SS. The Venture is a great departure from the Lumina minivan in every way, most notably styling. Venture seats seven and boasts 17 cup holders and 26 storage bins.

Chevy Truck
Blazer gets an optional rear window opening to compete with Cherokee and Explorer. An electric sun roof also is optional. A deactivating passenger-side air bag switch for the C/K pickups is new and keeps pace with Ford.

Chrysler
The Cirrus, Concorde and LHS received minor adjustments for improved abatement of noise, vibration and harshness. LHS' stablemate, the New Yorker, has been dropped. The Sebring convertible adds the autostick shifter for 1997. On the upscale Town & Country minivan, a left-side passenger sliding door is now standard fare. Low-speed traction control and four disc brakes with the all-wheel-drive system are new for 1997.

Dodge
The addition of the GTS Coupe to the Viper lineup is the biggest news. It comes standard with dual air bags and electric windows. An anti-lock braking system (ABS) is optional. The RT/10 Viper is powered by the V-10 truck engine, pushing 450 horsepower through the rear wheels. Neon gets a new "tango" fabric and sport package. Avenger is unchanged. A new Dodge Dakota mirrors its larger sibling Ram trucks, albeit in a smaller body. No third-door models are planned.

Eagle
The TSi Talon with a 2.0-liter turbocharged engine churning 210 horsepower and all-wheel-drive is the most popular offering.



People will be able to see more than 500 vehicles on display at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show.

Ford
With the full-size Bronco put out to pasture, an all-new Expedition enters the full-size market and takes on the Suburban as well as Chevy Tahoe/GMC Yukon. The hot-selling remake of the F-Series pickups retains its place as the top-selling U.S. vehicle.

Explorer has an optional V-6 engine. It's mated to a new five-speed automatic transmission. With the Chrysler minivans offering left-side passenger sliding doors, Ford will counter with a larger sliding driver's door until a separate left-sliding passenger door can be manufactured to keep pace.

Ford changed everything on the entry-level Escort but the price. A GT package for Escort is tentatively slated for the spring of '97. A sport edition of the Contour is due soon. Taurus gets pricing, packaging and equipment refinements after a slow introduction last year.

Geo
The miniature but gas-miserly Metro and Prizm are basically unchanged for 1997. The Geo Tracker made its big news by adding a four-door model last year.

GMC Truck
Yukon and Chevy sibling, Tahoe, get a tighter turning circle as does the Suburban. Dual air bags also are new. GMC's Jimmy gets Blazer's optional rear window and electric sun roof only on four-door models ordered with four-wheel drive. The Sierra line also gets switches to deactivate passenger-side air bags.

Honda
Details on an all-new Prelude are sketchy. Expect it to retain the powerful VTEC power plant. Honda will build an electric vehicle or EV. The Honda EV is powered by nickel-metal hydride batteries providing a range of up to 125 miles. Prices are unannounced, but Honda expects to lease EVs to fleets and some members of the public. The Accord is due for a change and fills the interim with a special edition for 1997. Honda's Passport sport-utility vehicle (SUV), a rebadged Isuzu Rodeo, remains unchanged.

Hyundai
The scoop on Hyundai is the new Tiburon. Tiburon replaces the Scoupe with a much sportier-looking hatchback. Tiburon is powered by a 1.8-liter or optional 2.0-liter dual-overhead-cam engine. Either engine can be mated to a five-speed manual or four-speed automatic transmission. Tiburon will come as either a coupe or convertible and have standard dual air bags and rack-and-pinion power steering. ABS and leather trim are expected options. The Sonata is made over inside and out.

Infiniti
A new Q45 sedan is on the scene after a major makeover. Large but lighter with less largess, the base Q ($48,395) or sporty Q45t ($50,395) come complete. Most noticeable is a conventional grill replacing the Infiniti badge. The I30 and J30 were updated last year and change little for 1997. The entry-level Infiniti, the G20, has been dropped. Infiniti enters the SUV market with its own model, the QX4, late this year. Pricing is in the mid-$30,000 range.

Isuzu
No major or minor modifications were made to either the Hombre, Oasis, Rodeo or Trooper. Isuzu will bring back its Amigo model in 1998.

DOBBS TIRE & AUTO™

BUY ONE GET ONE FREE

Lubrication, Oil Change & Oil Filter
BUY ONE GET ONE FREE
We Feature Mobil 1
$23.97 Reg. Price
Code 201 Expires 2/28/97
Lubrication, oil change, new oil filter, including up to 5 quarts 10W30 Valvoline. Top off all fluid levels. Most cars & light trucks.

Wheel Balance & New Valve Stem
BUY ONE GET ONE FREE
With Purchase of 4 Tires PLUS 1/2 Price Wheel Alignment
Expires 2/28/97

IMPORT
GOODYEAR T-METRIC
$19.99 155R12
155R13 $24.99
185/70R13 $32.99
185/70R14 $34.99

ECONOMY
CORDOVAN CLASSIC IV
$19.99 155/80R13
185/75R14 $29.99
195/75R14 $32.99
205/75R15 $36.99

TOURING
GOODYEAR REGATTA
$46.99 175/70R13 Blk
195/70R14 Blk $57.99
215/70R15 WW $67.99
205/65R15 Blk $69.99

PERFORMANCE
GOODYEAR EAGLE GT II
$48.99 P205/70R14 Rwl
P215/70R14 Rwl $49.99
TOYO PROXES H4
$68.96 185/60R14
195/65R15 $82.96

LIGHT TRUCK
CORDOVAN WILD TRAC XRT
$57.96 215/75R15 Owl
235/75R15 Owl $59.99
31/1050R15 Owl $89.99
245/75R16 RVT E $99.99

LIGHT TRUCK
GOODYEAR WRANGLER
$76.99 205/75R15
235/75R15 HT $79.99
265/75R16 TD Owl $109.99
31/1050R15 AT Owl $109.99

BATTERY SPECIAL
$5 OFF
• All Electro Batteries are Made in U.S.A.
• Truly 100%* Maintenance Free
• More Power Per Pound Than Any Other
• Nationwide Warranty with 1-800 Convenience
Code BATT Expires 2/28/97

DISC BRAKE SERVICE
$10 OFF
Install new front disc pads; repack wheel bearings, resurface front rotors. Calipers inspected. Code BRAKE Expires 2/28/97

TRANSMISSION SERVICE
$10 OFF
Drain transmission fluid in pan. Change pan gasket. Includes filter replacement. Install new transmission fluid. Code 1009 Expires 2/28/97

ARNOLD	296-5600	EUREKA	938-6030	MARYLAND HGTS.	576-1500	SOUTH COUNTY	487-9191
BALLWIN	227-9700	HAMPTON VILLAGE	351-7000	MIDTOWN	862-6700	SUNSET HILLS	966-9800
BRENTWOOD	961-5090	HARVESTER	928-4449	OAKVILLE	846-4155	WEBSTER GROVES	962-9091
CLOCKTOWER	839-2800	HIGH RIDGE	677-2383	OLIVETTE	991-1003	ILLINOIS	
CONCORD VILLAGE	842-3566	HOWDERSHELL	830-3636	OVERLAND	427-6400	CAHOKIA	618-337-6800
CREVE COEUR	878-9191	MAPLEWOOD	647-1673	STANN	291-4001	EDWARDSVILLE	618-659-1499
CROSS KEYS	831-1500	M.L. KING	361-2400	ST.CHARLES	946-1200	FAIRVIEW HGTS	618-628-1966
DOWNTOWN	241-1959	MANCHESTER	256-8690	ST.PETERS	928-3328	SWANSEA	618-234-3313

DOBBS TIRE & AUTO CENTERS
We accept all major credit cards!

*Lowest Price Guarantee: We will meet or beat any advertised price on any new Goodyear, Michelin, BFGoodrich, Cordovan and Toyo tire we carry.

Consumer's Digest BEST BUY
New 97 Oldsmobile 88 Sedan
$195.00* DOWN
$395.00* MONTHLY



New 97 Oldsmobile 88 Sedan
Equipped with 4 Wheel Anti-Lock Brakes, 4 Speed, Automatic Transmission, Power Steering, Dual Air Bags, Power Driver's Seat, Power Windows, Power Door Locks, 3800 205 hp Engine, Air Cond., Illum. Vanity Mirrors, AM/FM Stereo Cassette, Power Antenna, Custom Accent Stripes, and More.
THIS IS A PURCHASE - NOT A LEASE!
Immediate Delivery
Dealer discount and factory incentive included.
*Terms based on 72 months, 9.5 APR with approved credit. Taxes, license, and title excluded. 09254 & 09267.
ELDER
Cadillac Oldsmobile AURORA
10400 West Main, Belleville, IL
397-8200

Safety features on cars important to consumers

No car manufacturer today is oblivious to the fact that motorists are more concerned with a new car's safety features than ever before.

Many of these high-tech electronic and safety devices are noteworthy as car-shoppers view the more than 500 new 1997 cars, vans, light trucks and sport-utility vehicles on display at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show.

Some new safety features for 1997 include:

Accident Response System
This new feature in the Chrysler minivans has been added to models with power locks. In the event of an accident, the accident response system unlocks all doors and turns on the interior lights if the air bag has been deployed.

Air Bag Deactivation
New on the all-new Ford F-series pickups, and added to the Chevy C/K and GMC Sierra lines, the passenger-side air bag can be deactivated with a key to allow a child's safety seat to be placed safely inside the cab. In each model, the truck reactivates both air bags if the ignition is turned off.

Air Bag Warning Labels
Mercedes-Benz has begun installing a warning label on the right front door of all its new cars. The label warns about the potentially disastrous results from placing a rear-facing child-safety seat on the front passenger side of a car with an air bag.

The new Mercedes-Benz SLK sports car will come equipped with the world's first system that detects the presence of a child-safety seat and automatically turns off the passenger-side air bag. The safety system requires the use of a special European child seat, Britax, which now is sold in the U.S.

Last year, Mercedes began installing the first door-mounted air bags in its SL roadsters and E-Class sedans.

Cadillac has announced it is producing the first domestic cars with standard side-door air bags. These air bags provide side-impact protection, deploying from the door's armrest.

Better Breathing
While many systems today filter out pollen and other pollutants, the Mercedes-Benz E-420 senses if the air quality is poor, such as smog, and if so, sets the air system automatically to recirculate the interior air. The Benz also has a "rest" switch that will continue to pump heated air into the interior for up to 30 minutes after the car has been turned off.

Homelink
Popular on many car lines today, this system automatically learns your remote garage door opener code, allowing the door to be opened while you remain safe inside your car.

"Rolling" Key Codes
Both the new Infiniti Q45 and Saab will employ rolling key codes which make it nearly impossible to start the vehicle without the proper key. A new rolling code (from 65,000 different possibilities) works each time the Q45 is started.

Knee Bags
Sure, lots of companies offer air bags, as well as knee bolsters, but how many automakers offer air bags for the knees? Just one, Kia. New this year on Kia's SUV Sportage, the knee air bags reduce leg injuries during a collision.

Limp Home Engine Mode
This common feature allows many of today's popular cars, trucks and minivans to continue to operate, presumably a few more miles to safety, even after the engine has lost all of its coolant.

Side Impact Air Bags
Similar to an air bag inflating from the dashboard's instrument panel, these air bags inflate to protect both front seat occupants from side impacts during a collision.

'Yugo Next' illustrates recycling with flair

St. Louis auto show will feature redesigned Yugos

The Greater St. Louis International Show takes autos to new artistic heights.

Besides more than 500 new vehicles, the show will feature unusual artwork created from redesigned Yugo automobiles, the failed economy car of the mid-1980s.

The exhibition, "Yugo Next," is the work of design and illustration students and graduates from the School of Visual Arts in New York City.

To stretch imaginations, the young artists were given the challenge to configure Yugos in ways that would give the abandoned autos useful purposes. Using real cars as a starting point, the students and graduates created larger-than-life but usable designs such as a grand piano, a barbecue grill and a large telephone, among others.

> To stretch imaginations, the young artists were given the challenge to configure Yugos in ways that would give the abandoned autos useful purposes.

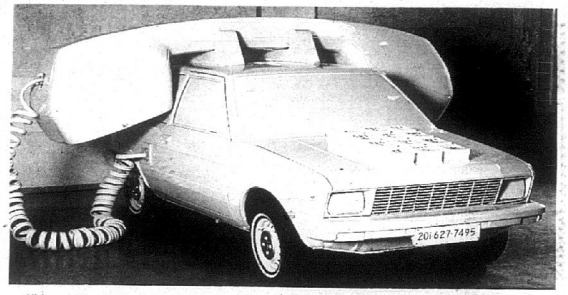
There are no limits to the size of the art, as the auto show provides ample space for such an exhibit. About a dozen creatively transformed Yugos will be on view as one of the family features at the auto show.

Some of the art is fully functional. If you time it right, you may get to see a fellow take a shower in his fully tiled and waterproofed Yugo creation.

The auto show runs Jan. 29 through Feb. 2 at the America's Center, 701 Convention Plaza in St. Louis. Hours are 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Jan. 29 through 31; 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Feb. 1; and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Feb. 2.

Tickets are $8 for adults and $3 for children ages 6 through 12. Children ages 5 and younger will be admitted free.

For more information, call 1-800-258-8912. Or access the show's web site at http://autoshow.reedexpo.com.



"Yugo Next" is a fascinating display of Yugo automobiles as art. The display is featured at the Greater St. Louis International Auto Show.

Get ready early for winter driving: 10 tips from pros

The Blue Seal of Excellence automotive repair facilities that employ certified technicians display the blue seal sign.

It means one or more of the auto technicians has passed national certification exams in areas such as engine performance, electrical systems, and brakes.

Nationally, there are about 280,000 ASE-certified technicians at work in all types of repair facilities.

Fall is the perfect time to undo the damage done by the heat and dust of summer and prepare for cold-weather driving.

The National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE), a non-profit group that administers national certification tests to automotive technicians, offers the following tips to help you get ready for winter driving. Some are easy; others require the skilled hands of a professional auto technician.

1) **Getting started.** All drivers, even those who never pick up a wrench, should start by reading the owner's manual and becoming familiar with the basic systems. The manual provides useful tips on driving, safety and maintenance.

All recommended service schedules should be followed.

Consider the consequences of neglect: A survey of the nation's elite ASE-certified automotive technicians revealed that owners could extend the life of their vehicles by 50 percent or more through regular maintenance.

2) **General Cleaning/Maintenance.** Wash your vehicle and apply a protective coat of wax or polish. Inspect all lights and replace burned out bulbs. Replace worn wiper blades and make sure you have plenty of washer fluid. Carry emergency gear such as gloves, boots, blankets, flares and a flashlight.

3) **Battery.** The only accurate way to detect a weak battery is with the professional equipment available at good repair shops. Most people, though, can perform routine care.

Scrape away corrosion from posts and cable connections; clean all surfaces; re-tighten connections. Wear eye protection and rubber gloves to avoid contact with the corrosive deposits and acid.

4) **Engine Oil.** The oil change is one of the most vital maintenance tasks, and yet it is one of the most neglected. The oil and filter should be changed as specified in your owner's manual — more often (every 3,000 miles) if you do lots of stop-and-go driving, carry heavy loads, or drive long distances.

5) **Cooling System.** To help prevent radiator freeze-ups and/or over-heating, the cooling system should be completely flushed and refilled about every 24 months.

The level, condition and concentration of the coolant should be checked periodically. Never remove the radiator cap until the engine has cooled down. A 50/50 mix of anti-freeze and water is usually recommended.

The tightness and condition of drive belts, clamps and hoses should be checked by a pro.

6) **Engine Performance.** Be prepared to describe changes in your engine's performance to a qualified technician. Rough idling, hard starts, stalling, or diminished power should be corrected before harsh weather sets in.

The air, fuel and PCV filters should be replaced according to the manufacturers' recommendations.

7) **Heater/Defroster.** For comfort and safety, the heater and defroster should be in good working condition. To prevent deadly fumes from entering the vehicle, have the exhaust system examined for leaks and the underbody and trunk inspected for small holes.

8) **Tires.** Balding tires are a safety hazard and of little use in snow and slush. Tires should be rotated about every 5,000 miles.

The air pressure should be checked once a month; let the tires "cool down" first. Check the sidewalls for nicks and cuts.

Examine tires for tread life, uneven wearing, and cupping. Remember to check the spare tire and make certain the jack is in working condition.

Use caution before installing tire chains; they are not compatible with some of today's "low profile" body styles and tire packages. Check your owner's manual.

9) **Brakes.** Regular maintenance will extend the life of the brakes and prevent more costly repairs due to neglect. Brakes should be inspected as recommended by your manual, or sooner if you notice pulsations, grabbing, noises, or longer stopping distances.

10) **Finding Good Auto Service.** Ask friends and associates for their recommendations — word of mouth travels far. Contact your local consumer organization regarding reputation, complaints, etc. Look for vehicles of comparable value to your own on the lot.

Once inside, look for orderly conditions, modern equipment, customer-service awards, and current training certificates.

Policies regarding pricing and guarantees should be posted. The write-up staff should be courteous and willing to listen to you and to answer your questions.

Technicians are the backbone of any repair establishment. A popular way to judge the know-how of individual technicians is through certification.

The National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE) conducts the only national, industry-wide testing program for working technicians.

ASE-certified technicians wear blue and white shoulder insignia and carry pocket credentials listing their areas of technical expertise, while their employers often display the ASE sign. There are about 280,000 ASE technicians throughout the nation.

FOUR FLAGS MOTORS, INC.
AUTO SHOW SPECIALS!
1997 PONTIAC SUNFIRE CPE
A/C, AUTO TRANS, AM/FM CD PLAYER
1997 GMC SONOMA
A/C, P.S., P.B., AM/FM CASSETTE, REAR STEP BUMPER, ANTI-LOCK BRAKES
3.9%
$199.00 Your Choice
$1,000 Rebate
3.9% FINANCING FOR 60 MOS.
$2777.00 Trade-In Or Downpayment
Tax, title, license and DOC Fee Extra.
8.5% FINANCING FOR 60 MOS.
$1800.00 Trade-In Or Downpayment
Tax, title, license and DOC Fee Extra.
PRE OWNED SPECIALS
1991 GMC JIMMY 4x4 SLE — CLEAN & LOADED — WAS! $13,995 Now! $11,944
1996 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE CPE — 10,000 MILES, LOADED, BTU — WAS! $16,995 Now! $14,944
1991 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX STE 4DR — MOON ROOF-ALL POWER OPTIONS THAT WERE AVAILABLE — WAS! $11,995 Now! $9,344
1996 OLDS 88 LSS SEDAN — FACTORY CAR, 4,000 MILES, LOADED — WAS! $26,995 Now! $22,944
1995 CHEVY BERETTA CPE — VERY CLEAN, LOW MILES — WAS! $12,995 Now! $9,944
1991 CHEVY ASTRO VAN CL — LOADED — WAS! $11,995 Now! $9,444
1995 BUICK LeSABRE 4DR — ALL THE OPTIONS, CLEAN, LIKE NEW — WAS! $15,995 Now! $12,944
FOUR FLAGS MOTORS
1-800-244-FOUR
656-6340
2901 South Hwy 159
Edwardsville/Glen Carbon
BUICK • PONTIAC • OLDS • GMC

Choosing the right repair shop

No matter what you drive—sports car, family sedan, pickup, or mini-van—when you go in for repairs or service, you want the job done right.

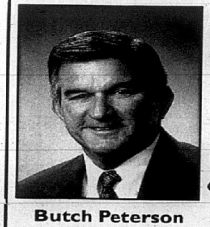
The following advice is from the non-profit National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE), the group which tests and certifies the competency of automotive technicians through a series of national examinations. These tips should take much of the guesswork out of finding a good repair establishment.

Preliminaries

- Don't just drop your vehicle off at the nearest establishment and hope for the best. That's not choosing a shop; that's gambling.
- Read your owner's manual to become familiar with your vehicle and follow the manufacturer's suggested service schedule.
- Ask friends and associates for their recommendations. Even in this high-tech era, old-fashioned word-of-mouth reputation still is valuable.
- Check with your local consumer organization regarding the reputation of the shop in question.

At the shop

- Look for a neat, well-organized facility, with vehicles in the parking lot equal in value to your own and modern equipment in the service bays.
- All policies, labor rates, guarantees, methods of payment, should be posted and/or explained to your satisfaction.
- Look for evidence of qualified technicians, such as trade school diplomas, certificates of advanced course work, and ASE certifications, a national standard of technician competence. ASE-certified technicians wear white and blue shoulder insignia, while their employers often post the ASE sign on the premises.


Butch Peterson
See Us In Salem For Your '97!
OLDEN
CHEVROLET - BUICK - GEO
Route 50 West
P.O. Box 1060 • Salem, IL 62881
BUS: 618-548-5500

CASSENS RENTS
VANS • CARS
TRUCKS
7 Pass. Mini Vans • 8, 12 & 15 Passenger Vans
Economy, Mid-Size & Luxury Cars
Dodge Rams & Dakotas - Both 8 ft. Beds
Full Size Cargo Vans
618-692-7386
Cassens
EDWARDSVILLE/GLEN CARBON
CHRYSLER • DODGE • PLYMOUTH
Just 2 Minutes North of I-270 on Hwy 159
Across from Cottonwood Plaza

2 BUICK

1979 BUICK REGAL 301V 2 door, needs motor work $250.00. 876-1009.

SEIZED CARS From $175. Porsches, Cadillacs, Chevys, BMW's, Corvettes, Also Jeeps 4WD's. Your Area. Toll Free (1)800-218-9000 ext. A-6401 For Current Listings.

BUICKS

96 Le Sabre Limited Sedan. Like new condition and fully equipped. Only 18xxx miles. 93 Park Ave. Sedan. Beautiful car inside and out. New Cadillac trade in.

ELDER CADILLAC • OLDS 10400 W. MAIN BELLEVILLE 397-8200

4 CADILLAC

1977 CADILLAC FLEETWOOD, 4 door, body good cond., runs well. $650.00. 452-649 or 314-772-3050.

86 ELDORADO, 76xxx Miles, Like New! ★$9,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7125 Manchester 847-3677

CADILLACS

91 Sedan Deville. Like new, white finish with Carmine Leather, full power, air, etc.

94 Sedan Deville Roadster top, air, leather, etc. One owner new car trade in.

ELDER CADILLAC • OLDS 10400 W. MAIN BELLEVILLE 397-8200

CADILLAC

87 Cadillac Sedan DeVille. Leather, air, full power, vinyl roof, WSW tires, etc. Locally driven, well serviced, pre-owned luxury car. Excellent condition.

ELDER CADILLAC • OLDS 10400 W. MAIN BELLEVILLE 397-8200

4 CADILLAC

86 SEVILLE Elegante, Low Mileage ★$100DN/$4,495★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

6 CHEVROLET

CARS FOR $1261 Seized & Sold Locally. Hondas, Fords, Etc. 1-800-522-2790, Ext. 2470.

'93 CAVALIER, 4DR., AUTO/AC, Sharp! Must Sell! $4900. OUR PRICE: ★$99DN or $4995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

'93 Cavalier RS, 4DR, SHARP! Must Sell! $7525. OUR PRICE: ★$99DN or $5995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

'92 LUMINA, NICE CAR! 90xxx MILES, BEST OFFER MUST SELL! 787-0827

91 Lumina, V-6, SteelBook 96200 WINTER BLOW-OUT! ★$100DN/$3,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 947-2900

10 DODGE

1989 DAYTONA, RUNS/looks good, 79xxx, 2.5 liter, auto, air, sunroof. $3495obo. 345-8330.

DODGE

95 Dodge High Line Neon Sedan. Well equipped and like new. Only 15xx miles.

96 Cadillac Sedan Deville Roadster top, leather, gold package, air, and more. Like new condition and still covered by balance of 48 months/50,000 mile new car warranty.

ELDER CADILLAC • OLDS 10400 W. MAIN BELLEVILLE 397-8200

14 FORD

'93 ESCORT, AUTO, AIR, Sharp! ★$100DN/$3,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

1988 FORD ESCORT EXP, new tires, needs new motor $275. 452-7051.

'96 T-BIRD, Loaded, V/8, Auto, Leather INT And Much More. 31,XXX Miles. Call:876-6813.

18 JEEP

'97 CHEROKEE LAREDO, 4 x 4 ★$99DN or $3995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

22 MERCURY

1994 Cougar XR7, V-8, 45,xxx, new tires, 100,000/warranty, excellent condition, $12,700. 539-3329

22 MERCURY

LINCOLN

88 Town Car, Cartier Series. Fully equipped and in excellent condition. New Michelin WSW tires. Driven since new by the wife of a prominent local banker. Low mileage.

ELDER CADILLAC • OLDS 10400 W. MAIN BELLEVILLE 397-8200

'91 SABLE GS, LOADED! Impeccable Cond., Was $7000, WINTER BLOW-OUT! ★$100DN/$4,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7212 Manchester 947-2900

'90 TOPAZ, Sedan/LOADED! ★$99DN or $2995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

24 OLDSMOBILE

'90 CIERA SL, 4DR., Low Miles, ★$99DN or $4495★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

'81 OLDS OMEGA ENGINE RUN/OIL LEAK $250./ 451-7406.

28 PONTIAC

'88 BONNEVILLE, Immaculate, LOADED! TIN, Cruise, Only $500!, WINTER BLOW-OUT! ★$100DN/$2,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

87 FIERO GT, V-6, Super Sharp! Was $4500 - WINTER BLOW-OUT! ★$100DN/$4,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

1971 RED GRAND PRIX runs great with small block $1900./ 452-1217.

'86 TRANS AM - T-TOPS MECHANIC'S SPECIAL! $★$2,995★ Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

30 SATURN

'94 SC2, gold, fully loaded, Sspd., ABS, 43,xxx mi., $10,500. 618-248-5726.

40 HONDA

'90 ACCORD LX, 4DR., LOADED! ★$7,995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

'88 ACCORD DX, Extra Clean, Stick, $3500. Imperial Motors 314-464-5783.

'89 PRELUDE, Extremely Clean! ★$100DN/$5995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7125 Manchester 847-3677

40 HONDA

1994 Honda Accord EX, Black, 4 dr, power everything, $14,500 632-9129

'90 Honda CRX Si, Power S.R. Super Clean - ONLY: ★$5,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7212 Manchester 947-2900

WE FINANCE EVERYONE

Guaranteed Auto Financing

- No Credit
- Bad Credit
- Bankrupt
- SSI & Welfare

Call Linda 544-7866

42 HYUNDAI

91 EXCEL, Very Clean, Runs Great! ★$100DN/$1,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

50 MAZDA

1984 MAZDA RX7, New Tires, Sun Roof, Runs Great $800.00 OBO; 451-7280.

56 NISSAN/DATSUN

'88 SENTRA, 4DR., AUTO/AC ★$99DN or $2995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

70 TOYOTA

89 CAMRY, Impeccable, Was $6000 ★$100DN/$3,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7212 Manchester 947-2900

74 VOLKSWAGEN

'86 VOLKSWAGEN JETTA, 4 dr., air, sun roof. 344-6203.

82 ANTIQUE/ SPECIALTY CARS

'69 MERCURY MARQUIS, 429ci, Original Numbers 2nd Owner. Very Good Condition. Small Rust. $3000 OBO 797-0489.

84 CHEVROLET TRUCKS

'95 CHEVY SILVERADO ext. cab, 1500 X, PW, PL, 350 ENG. 12,XXX Miles. Teal,877-1224.

86 DODGE/PLYMOUTH TRUCKS

86 Dodge ¼ TON, Low Mileage, CLEAN! ★$100DN/$2,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7212 Manchester 947-2900

87 FORD TRUCKS

'84 BRONCO II, Runs Great! ★$2,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

'94 BRONCO 4x4, V-351; Auto, EDDIE BAUER PACKAGE ★$14,995★ Broadway Ford Truck 314-241-8140

91 Bronco 4x4, V351, Auto, XLT Pkg. ★$10,500★ Broadway Ford Truck 314-241-8140

'94 E-350 P.D.V. V-351, AUTO, 15 FT. F.R.P. BODY ★$14,695★ Broadway Ford Truck 314-241-8140

'92 F150 4x4, Auto, A/C, BlueBook: $8700. OUR PRICE: ★$99DN or $5995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

'94 F-150, 8 cyl, Sspd, XLT Pkg. FIBERGLASS TOPPER! ★$10,995★ Broadway Ford Truck 314-241-8140

'95 F-150, 300-6CYL, 4 Speed Over Drive, Camper Shell. Good Cond. $1200./ 797-0489.

'87 F150 Lariat Ext. Cab - V-8 AUTO, AIR, Super, Super Nice Truck - ONLY: ★$5,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7212 Manchester 947-2900

88 F150 LARIAT Super Cab, Low Mileage! Like New! MUST SEE! We Finance Almost Anyone REL 10069 St Clr Rd Rd 429-7001

'93 FORD F-350, Cabin Chassis, 7.3 Diesel, 5speed, A/C ★$9,995★ Broadway Ford Truck 314-241-8140

'73 FORD PICKUP, parting out, 351 Windsor, auto trans., 618-337-3433, anytime.

32 MISC. AUTO

ALERT

'SPECIAL FINANCING

IF YOU HAVE HAD A PROBLEM GETTING A CAR BECAUSE OF FINANCING, WE CAN HELP. BAD CREDIT, NO CREDIT - DON'T BE ASHAMED, BE RELIEVED! EXCELLENT SELECTION OF VEHICLES

JM MOTORS 618-876-2886 EXT. 34

87 FORD TRUCKS

LOU FUSZ OLDSMOBILE

AUTO LOANS

Low Cost Financing Even If You've Been **REJECTED** Elsewhere

- Bankruptcy
- Bad Credit
- No Credit

NO PROBLEM!

CALL THERESA 994-1500

24 HR. HOTLINE 997-0004

'77 FORD ¼ TON pickup, new engine, auto, air. 344-6203.

87 FORD TRUCKS

'95 F-150, V-302, auto, Eddie Bauer Package, WARRANTY REMAINING ★$15,795★ Broadway Ford Truck 314-241-8140

'95 F150 XL, 6cyl., Sspd., 21,000mi., dual tanks, chrome wheels, truck box, red-silver. Like new. $12,500/obo. 344-7918.

90 Ranger Pickup XLT, Camper, Was $7,000 - WINTER BLOW-OUT! ★$100DN/$4495★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7125 Manchester 847-3677

'91 Ranger XLT, Camper Shell ★$100DN/$4995★ We Finance Almost Anyone REL 10069 St Clr Rd Rd 429-7001

92 MAZDA TRUCKS

'87 MAZDA B2200 Pickup, AUTO, AIR, SHARP! ★$100DN/$2,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

'88 MAZDA B2200 Pickup, Cab Plus! SHARP! Only ★$100DN/$3,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone REL 10069 St Clr Rd Rd 429-7001

96 TOYOTA TRUCKS

96 4Runner, Clean! Runs Excell. ★$4,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone REL 10069 St Clr Rd Rd 429-7001

96 TOYOTA TRUCKS

'95 Pickup, 4x4, AIR, Chrome Roll Bars, Running Boards, Was $7,500 WINTER BLOW-OUT! ★$5,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7125 Manchester 847-3677

101 4 X 4

86 BLAZER, Runs Great! 10 IN STOCK! ★$100DN/$3995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7125 Manchester 847-3677

'94 BLAZER, Runs Great! 8 - 4x4's IN STOCK! ★$2,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone REL 10069 St Clr Rd Rd 429-7001

CHEVY S-10 BLAZER, 4x4, - RED ★$99DN or $3995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

91 EXPLORER XLT, 4X4, LOADED ★$99DN or $8995★ *financing for almost everyone* Vogue Motor Co. 4050 Granite 776-2122

86 RAM Charger 4x4, AUTO, V-8, AIR, CLEAN!-- ONLY: ★$100DN/$3,995★ We Finance Almost Anyone Concours 7111 Manchester 949-2828

AMERICAN AUTO SALES

2320 NAMEOKI RD., GRANITE CITY

618-452-4000

BANKRUPTCY? DIVORCE? SLOW PAYMENTS? REPO PROBLEMS? LET US HELP YOU SOLVE YOUR CREDIT PROBLEMS! NEW INVENTORY!!!

Cars as Low as $400 Down

Financed the American Way BUY HERE - PAY HERE

SSI, Disability & Public Aid Welcome



YOU DON'T HAVE TO DRIVE JUNK!

Mick Hoepfinger

843-4431 or FAX 843-5726

SUNSET FORD

"NEW PROGRAM"

FOR CREDIT PROBLEM CUSTOMERS

- LOW MONEY FACTORS
- SHORT TERM LOANS
- NEW OR USED VEHICLES

NAME_____

FIRST MIDDLE LAST

ADDRESS_____

APT.____ CITY, STATE, ZIP_____

WORK PHONE HOME PHONE

EMPLOYER_____

ADDRESS_____

PHONE_____ OCCUPATION_____

SALARY_____ SSN #_____

SIGNATURE_____

To certify that the above information is complete & accurate you authorize an investigation of your credit & employment history & the release of information about your credit experience.

SUNSET FORD

11700 GRAVOIS

ST. LOUIS, MO 63127

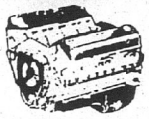
843-4431

Goodwrench Service

GENERAL MOTORS PARTS DIVISION

THE BRAND NEW!!!

GM ENGINE



NEW 350L cu. in. ENGINES

4 Bolt Main-3 Year-50,000 mi. Warranty

$1,275

WE ALSO STOCK

2.3, 2.5, 2.8, 3.1, 3.8, 4.1, 4.3, 5.0-305, 5.7-350 L-8-D-K-M-MD, 366, 427, 454, 6.2 Diesel

CALL FOR PRICES. FREE DELIVERY 50 MILE RADIUS.

Goodwrench Service

WEIR CHEVROLET-OLDS-GEO, INC.

1107 S. Main

Red Bud, Illinois 62278

Phone: (Parts Dept.) 618-282-3040/282-3111

WE CARRY DALE EARNHARDT RACING APPAREL

Speedway Salvage

Pays TOP DOLLAR for JUNK CARS

876-3366

FINAL DAYS TO $AVE THOUSANDS!

Hurry! Buy Now! **3.9% APR ENDS JANUARY 31, '97***

*on Lumina Sedans

3.9% APR Up to **60 Mos.** on Cavaliers & Luminas

OR **$1,000 REBATES** on S-10 Pickups

HUNDREDS OF VEHICLES TO CHOOSE

#2228

1997 1/2 TON PICKUP

SALE PRICE

$14,888*

Factory Air, 5 Speed Transmission, with Overdrive, Rear Step Bumper.

Excludes Tax, Title & DOC Fee.



1996 2 DR. CONVERTABLE TRACKERS

SALE PRICE

$10,549*

Folding Rear Seat.

$2,000 REBATE

*Excludes Tax, Title & DOC Fee. Includes Factory $1500 Rebate $400 Qualified 1st Time Buyer.



$1,000 REBATE Limited Time Offer

1997 S-10 PICKUP

$10,395*

Factory Air, 5 Speed/ Overdrive, Step Bumper

#2148



Excludes Tax, Title & DOC Fee. Includes a Factory Rebate and $400 Rebate for qualified 1st Time Buyer

All New! VENTURE VAN & MALIBU





In Stock & Ready For Delivery!



Credit ? Problems

Re-establish your credit with Weber's Finance Assistance Center.

WEBER Finance Assistance Center

Call:

(618) 451-7913

(314) 241-4720

Ask for Mary!

Drive home a new or used car TODAY!

FINAL DAYS 3.9 APR Limited Time Offer

1997 CAVALIER COUPE

$11,888*

Air Conditioning, Auto Transmission, and Much More



*Excludes Tax, Title & DOC Fee. Includes a $400 Rebate for qualified 1st time buyer. Financing with approved credit thru G.M.A.C. up to 60 months.

#7119

1997 LUMINA

FINAL DAYS 3.9 APR Limited Time Offer

$15,988*



Factory Air, AM/FM Stereo & Much More!

#7186

Excludes Tax, Title & DOC Fee. Financing with approved credit thru G.M.A.C. up to 60 months.

OVER STOCKED - OVER STOCKED - OVER 100 UNITS IN STOCK!

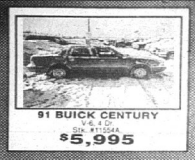
Sale Prices Exclude Taxes, License, Title & DOC Fees.

91 CAVALIER RS COUPE 4 CYL., AUTO, AIR & MORE- LOW MILES	92 METRO 4 DOOR AUTO, AIR & MORE	95 SATURN SLI EXTRA CLEAN	91 CHEV. SUBURBAN V8, LOADED EXTRA CLEAN	94 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM V6 & MORE EXTRA CLEAN	95 CHEV TAHOE 4 DOOR, LOADED ONE LS - ONE LT	93 CAVALIER Z-24 COUPE EXTRA CLEAN	94 CAPRICE WGN V8, LOADED, 21,XXX MILES	95 PONTIAC SUNFIRE 4 DOOR,EXTRA CLEAN	94 BERETTA COUPE EXTRA CLEAN
91 GMC 1/2 TON SLE PICKUP, LOADED 350 V8	95 SUBURBAN V8, LOADED, EXTRA CLEAN	94 BUICK REGAL GRAND SPORT LOADED, EXTRA CLEAN	96 S-10 BLAZER 4 DOOR, LS, LOADED, 10,XXX MILES	95 SATURN SC2 COUPE LOADED, 12XXX MILES	91 GMC G20 CONVERSION VAN EXTRA CLEAN GOOD MILES	95 CHEVY TIMELESS CONVERSION VAN EXTRA CLEAN	92 MUSTANG LX CONV. LOADED,EXTRA CLEAN	94 LUMINA EURO 4 DR. LOADED, EXTRA CLEAN	94 CAVALIER COUPE EXTRA CLEAN
86 OLDS DELTA 88 V6, AUTO AIR, & MORE LOW MILES	93 MERC CAPRI CONVERTIBLE, EXTRA CLEAN	89 CADILLAC BROUGHAM V8, LOADED, LOW MILES	95 S10 BLAZER LT 4 DOOR, 4X4, LOADED, EXTRA CLEAN	96 CHEV ½ TON PICKUP V8, LOADED, 4X4 EXTRA CLEAN	95 FORD MUSTANG LX LOADED EXTRA CLEAN	95 LUMINA 4 DR.. V6, AUTO, AIR & MORE, EXTRA CLEAN	93 ESCORT WAGON 2 IN STOCK	89 GMC 1/2 TON PICKUP SLX, AUTO, V8, 4X4 & MORE, EXTRA CLEAN	95 OLDS CIERA SL 4 DOOR 2 IN STOCK

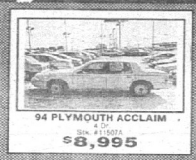
WEBER GRANITE CITY CHEVROLET

Rt. 3 & Pontoon Road • Granite City, IL • 451-7913

USED CARS, TRUCKS AND VANS


91 BUICK CENTURY
V-6, 4 Dr.
Stk. #1501
$5,995


92 PONTIAC GRAND AM
4 Dr. SE
Stk. #2160B
$7,995


94 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM
4 Dr.
Stk. #11507
$8,995


95 ESCORT COUPE
Auto. Air, Pwr. Roof, Spoiler, Stk. #09675.
$1200 DOWN/ONLY $179 / PER MO. 2 YR. LEASE


95 PROBE SE
12,xxx Mi., Auto., Air, Pwr. Roof, Stk. #09677
$1200 DOWN/ONLY $229 / PER MO. 2 YR. LEASE


94 NISSAN
Auto. Air
Stk. #9464A
$8,995


92 CAVALIER CONV.
Dk. Green
$8,995


93 LUMINA Z-26
Red Coupe
Stk. #9615A
$8,995


94 T-BIRD
Dk. Green, V8, Pwr. Roof, 29,xxx Mi. Stk. #60666B
$1200 DOWN/ONLY $229 / PER MO. 2 YR. LEASE


93 GMC SAFARI CONV. VAN
Leather
Low Miles
$12,995


95 TAURUS
12 To Choose From
4 Drs. 5 Wagons


95 CONTOUR GL
Auto., 25,xxx Mi. Factory Warranty. Stk. #3461. Was $13,977
$9,995


94 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME CPE. SL
30,xxx Mi., Beautiful Car! Stk. #60567A
ONLY $10,995


94 EXPLORER 4 DR. 4X4 EDDIE BAUER
Leather And Loaded. 2 To Choose From
ONLY 26,XXX MILES!


94 RANGER SUPERCAB XLT
4.0L, Auto., Air, Low Miles
HARD TO FIND!


'95 WINDSTAR GL7 PASSENGER
Loaded, 30,xxx Miles, Factory Warranty. Stk. #2027BA. Was $16,642
$14,942

CHECK OUT FORD'S ALL NEW RED CARPET LEASE ON USED CARS

94 T-BIRD
$149/MO PLUS TAX
DEAL #33526
50265A P.O.P. $6551.50

96 F150
$149/MO PLUS TAX
61035A L.E.V. $10,910

95 CONTOUR
$119/MO PLUS TAX
09649 L.E.V. $6,560

95 ESCORT
$99/MO PLUS TAX
5848PC L.E.V. $5,165

96 ASPIRE
$79/MO PLUS TAX
20258A L.E.V. $4,681

95 WINDSTAR
$139/MO PLUS TAX DEAL #34519
09648 P.O.P. $11,990.40

$1800 DOWN TRADE OR CASH 24 MONTHS PLUS TAX

ALL LEASES INCLUDE FORD EXTENDED WARRANTY ASSISTANCE
$1800 DOWN TRADE OR CASH PLUS TAX FOR A LIMITED TIME!

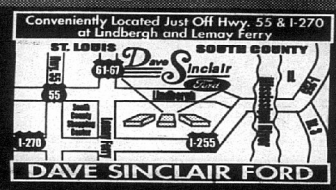
"IF IT'S NOT RIGHT WE'LL MAKE IT RIGHT, FREE"



#1 In Retail Sales From The Gulf Of Mexico To Canada
Thank you and here's my address:
892-2600
1-800-BUY-FORD
7466 So. Lindbergh
Lindbergh at Lemay Ferry

Dave Sinclair
"Your St. Louis Ford Dealer!"
Ford

AFTER ALL REBATES AND INCENTIVES



USED CARS, TRUCKS AND VANS


94 FORD ESCORT WGN.
23,xxx Mi., Auto., Air Cond., Fact. Warr. Stk. #P1501
$8,595


93 FORD RANGER
52,xxx Mi., Camper Shell, Hugh Stereo System. Stk. #1636
$7,595


92 TOYOTA CAMRY LE
Loaded! 1 Owner! Automatic. Stk. #L2054B
$8,995


90 MERCURY SABLE
Loaded, 45,xxx Miles. Stk. #P1730A
$7,395


95 CHEV. CORSICA 4-DR.
Auto., Clean.
Stk. #1588
$8,995


95 GEO METRO L
4 Cyl., Auto., Air Conditioning. Stk. #P1856
$6,495


95 FORD ESCORT
22,500 Miles, Fact. Warr. Dk. Blue. Stk. #T7064A
$8,995


95 MITSUBISHI MIRAGE
4 Cyl., Auto., 37,xxx Miles. Stk. #L7044B
$8,595


95 GMC JIMMY
26,xxx Miles, Fact. Warr. Loaded. Stk. #P1720
$20,395


95 OLDS ACHIEVA
Auto., A/C, All Power, 36,xxx Miles. Stk. #P1570.
$8,995


94 CHEV. SUBURBAN
V-8, Loaded.
Stk. #P1771
$20,995


96 CHEV. S-10 PICKUP
V-8, Auto., 14,xxx Miles. Fact. Warr. Stk. #P1774.
$12,450


95 OLDS ACHIEVA
Auto., A/C, All Power, 37,xxx Mi. Stk. #1576.
$8,595


96 PONTIAC GRAND AM
Auto., 4 Dr. Fact. Warr. 33,xxx Miles. Stk. #P1740
$11,870


96 DODGE NEON 4-DR.
Stk. #P1535
$9,995


96 DODGE NEON 4-DR.
Auto., 21,xxx Miles. Fact. Warr. Stk. #P1582.
$9,995


96 PONT. GRAND AM 4-DR.
V-6, Auto., 31,xxx Miles. Fact. Warr. Stk. #P1758.
$11,870


96 BUICK LESABRE
V-6, Auto., Loaded, 27,xxx Mi. Fact. Warr. Stk. #P1710.
$16,240


93 CHEV. CAPRICE CLASSIC
V-8, Loaded.
Stk. #M6025A
$11,570


94 FORD F150 SUPERCAB
Auto., Air Cond.
Stk. #6006A
$12,495


95 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX
V-6, Auto., Loaded.
Fact. Warr. Stk. #P1697
$11,995


97 BUICK LESABRE LIMITED
3.8, V-6, Auto., Loaded, Leather. Fact. Warr. 12,xxx Mi. Stk. #1533.
$21,460

93 BUICK LESABRE
Stk. #P1364.
37,xxx Miles.
$12,495

94 CHEV. C2500 REG. CAB
35,xxx Miles, Fact. Warr., V-8, Auto. Great Econ.! Stk. #P1705.
$14,995

"IF IT'S NOT RIGHT WE'LL MAKE IT RIGHT, FREE"

BUICK GMC TRUCK
Sinclair
BUICK GMC
5655 South Lindbergh 842-4200

105 VANS

98 ASTRO VAN GT - 7Pass, Supr Clean Only! 30 VANS IN STOCK!
★$100DN/$4495★
We Finance Almost Anyone
Concern 7135 Manchester 947-3877

96 CARAVAN, V-6, 7Pass, Sharp! Was $16,900 Now $8,888. WINTER BLOW-OUT!
★$100DN/$3,995★
We Finance Almost Anyone
Concern 7111 Manchester 949-2222

'94 CHEV. CARGO Van, AUTO, AIR, Clean, Great Grad Work Van – ONLY:
★$100DN/$2,995★
We Finance Almost Anyone
Concern 7211 Manchester 947-2800

88 GMC Conversion, Very Nice! 30 VANS IN STOCK!!!
★$100DN/$3,995★
We Finance Almost Anyone
801 1000 Bottle Rd. 635-7801

'95 GMC SAFARI MINI VAN, Rock Wood, XR Conversion Package, White Exterior, Royal Blue, Captain Chairs, 18,000 Miles, Raised Roof, Walnut Interior, TV, VCR & Dutch Doors. MUST SEE! Original $28,000. 463-8174.

'93 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER, 7 passenger, AM/FM cassette, 4cyc, excellent cond. $8000 obo. 345-2530.

'94 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER Mini Van, 4-cylinder automatic, custom wheels. $1800/obo. 344-5833.

125 CARS/TRUCKS WANTED

WE BUY CARS FOR CASH
★ Free Ride Home ★
St. Louis Auto Credit
544-7866

140 AUTO REPAIR/PAINT

Auto Body/mech repairs done, save 40% or more guaranteed. 254-6624.

145 AUTO PARTS/TIRES

4 EAGLE 19" High Polished 5 Star Rims And RWL Tires /With Locks. Fits Cavalier $450. OBO. 961-5473.

FIVE STAR rims with 185 /R13 Goodyear tires. $150 /obo. 344-8522.

Al's AUTOMOTIVE SUPPLY
4 STAR remanufactured engines from
$699
• Cahokia 332-2145
• Belleville 277-8556
• Granite City 877-2122
• Washington Park 274-4240
• Fairview Hts. 277-2770

320 HELP WANTED

Advertising Sales

The nation's most successful community newspaper group currently has an opening for an advertising sales representative. You will manage an established protected territory and will be responsible for serving existing accounts and developing new business. This is a challenging opportunity for a sales professional with successful sales experience. Must have excellent communication skills and be self-motivated. Degree helpful. We offer base plus commission and an excellent benefit package, including 401K.

For consideration, please send resume to:

CW#1997
1714 Deer Tracks Trail
St. Louis, MO 63131
(no phone calls please)

Suburban Journals

AGENT/AVON: Earn to 50%. No door/door. Set own hours. 821-2177, (800)925-4449.

Armed Security Guard for Illinois and Missouri. Apply at: 5610 West Main, Belleville.

AUDITIONS For Local Country Band Experience Preferred. Call Dean At 877-8544 For Information.

Automotive
AUTO DETAILERS
No experience necessary. Must be able to work 2 shifts. $6/HR to start, with the incentive, $9/HR. Must be 21, & have valid drivers license.

DRIVERS PART TIME/CHAMOIS
$6.20 per hour to start, 1-2 days per week. On-site driving.

BODY REPAIR TECHNICIAN
Must have 2 years experience and have own tools.

CLERICAL
Part time clerical workers. Must have some title experience.

Apply in person
St. Louis Auto Auction
13813 St. Charles Rock Rd
Bridgeton, MO 63044
EOE
Good fringe benefits for full time positions

AVON to sell and receive free sample pack 462-2588.

Banking
TELLERS Cash & Vault
Industry leader in food and beverage is accepting applications for full and part time teller positions. Ability to work holiday/weekends in 10 hr. shifts from 4:30am to 3:30pm or 3:00pm to 2:00am is a must. Significant cash handling experience is equired. Casino cash room or bank vault teller experience preferred. Send your resume with salary requirements in confidence to:

CONTROLLER
PO Box 10187
St. Louis, MO 63141
or FAX to: 314-429-5847
Equal Opportunity/Drug Free Employer

Clerical
PART-TIME NIGHT DATA ENTRY CLERK
St. Anothony's Medical Center has an immediate opening for an individual to work part-time in the Hyland Behavioral Health System as a night shift Data entry Clerk. Must be available to work 11pm-7am on one weeknight and every other weekend nights. Prior medical care data entry is preferred but not required. St. Anthony's Medical Center has a convenient surburban location at Highway 21 and 1-270. We offer a starting salary commensurate with experience and an excellent benefits package. Interested applicants please submit applications/resume to:

HUMAN RESOURCES
St. Anthony's Medical Center
10010 Kennerly Rd
St. Louis, MO 63128
EOE M/F/H/V
A Member of the Unity Health System

BABYSITTING & LIGHT housekeeping, 3 days a week. Must have own transportation. 346-1903.

C.D.I
is now hiring telemarketers for morning, afternoon, and evening shifts. Full time & part time position available. Sunday shifts avalable. Guaranteed salary plus excell bonus plan. Call today (618)797-7958 or apply in person at 4064 Oakmont, Pontoon Beach, IL.

CIVIL ENGINEERING FIELD TECHNICIAN
Well established, expanding firm looking for experienced field materials technician (concrete, soil & asphalt) for position in Fairview Heights, IL. IDOT experience/certification (QA/QC) and/or ACI certification a plus. Must have reliable transportation to work on construction sites. Pay commensurate with experience. Send resume to: SCI Engineering, 15 Executive Dr. Suite 4, Fairview Heights, IL 62208.

CLERICAL, DATA entry, training & event registrations. Dependable, customer-friendly. $7/hr. Send resume to: Membership Services Assistant, #4 Ginger Creek Parkway, Glen Carbon, IL 62034.

DANCERS WANTED
18 or Older
Full or Part Time
Apply in person after 7PM
DOTTI's BODY SHOP
1 mile south of Collinsville, IL

DRIVERS' TRUCK WASHER/MECHANIC. Full or Part-Time (314)741-0936.

DELI COOK wanted with management experience. 931-3016

DENTAL OFFICE ASSISTANT
Experience preferred. Send resume to: 300 W. Main St., Collinsville, IL 62234.

"Growing To Meet Resident And Community Needs"
SOCIAL SERVICE DIRECTOR
For 122 bed Medicare facility, 2 years experience with the Core Plan Process.

RECEPTIONIST
Must have excellent phone and typing skills.
★ Salary based on experience
★ Excellent Benefit Package
Colonial Care Center
3900 Stearns Ave.
Granite City, IL
931-3900
E.O.E.

DATA ENTRY OPERATORS
MANPOWER Temporary Services is currently placing Data Entry Operators in the Metro East area.
DO WE HAVE THE JOB FOR YOU!
• Free Training
• Competitive Pay
• Vacation & Holiday Benefits
DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY!
Call MANPOWER for an interview
618-624-5000
9 Executive Drive Suite 100
Fairview Heights, IL
M/F/D/V EOE

SPECIAL PURCHASE
INTREPIDS, CONCORDE & VISION
15 IN STOCK! Stk. #8843
Balance Of Warranty
FROM $13,997.00
VOYAGERS 10 IN STOCK!
Stk. #8878
Balance Of Warranty
FROM $15,997.00

96 CHRYSLER CONCORDE	LOADED	$14,995
95 CHRYSLER GTC CONV.		$13,995
86 DODGE DAYTONA		$2,295
94 DODGE CARAVAN	V-6	$10,995
92 FORD SUPER CAB P/UP		$11,995
91 DODGE DAYTONA 2 DR.		$4,995
89 DODGE DAKOTA 4X4 P/U		$6,995
88 DODGE CARAVAN	7 PASS.	$3,495

MEHL VILLE CHRYSLER-PLYMOUTH
3600 LEMAY FERRY RD.
1/2 MILE NORTH OF SOUTH COUNTY CTR.
ST. LOUIS, MO 63125
WE RENT MINI VANS FOR VACATIONS
487-3000

FIX-O-FLAT USED TIRE SHOPS
"Now Four Convenient Locations"
USED TIRES $10 & UP
-Mounted Free-
MC - VISA - Discover - Amer. Exp
TIRE REPAIR • USED WHEELS
MON. - SAT. 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.
Dave's Fix-O-Flat 1701 Madison Ave., GC 876-1744
Fix-O-Flat II 115 Ashland, Fairview Heights 624-3255
Fix-O-Flat III 535 St. Louis Rd., Collinsville 345-2380
Fix-O-Flat IV Hwy. 50, O'Fallon 628-6377
Over 1000 used Truck Tires In Stock-Fresh Load Monthly
Owner—Dave Ellsworth

CREDIT CLINIC
LIMITED TIME ONLY
*On The Spot Financing *No Credit Application Refused *Credit Professionals On Site
*Take The New Car Or Truck Of Your Choice Home Today!!!
24 HOUR CREDIT HOTLINE 314-909-0943
$BANKRUPTCIES $DIVORCE $TAX LEINS $SLOW CREDIT
$FORECLOSURES $CHARGE OFFS $REPOSSESSIONS
Minimum $1,200 Month Income, 10% Cash Or Trade Down
Chris AUFFENBERG
KIRKWOOD MITSUBISHI CHEVROLET
LINDBERGH & MANCHESTER IN KIRKWOOD
"Easy To Get To From Anywhere"
MITSUBISHI SALES & LEASING 965-5111
CHEVROLET SALES & LEASING 965-0333 1-800-467-0833

BLACK LANE AUTO PARTS
NOW!
USED & NEW PARTS
PARTS LOCATING SERVICE
WE REBUILD FRONT WHEEL DRIVE AXLES
1800 BLACK LANE
(618) 398-5477

165 MOTOR HOMES

1977 CHRYSLER MOTER HOME IN GOOD SHAPE. SLEEPS 5. $3500. 931-8956.

180 CAMPERS

1988 PREMIER 35 Foot Camper, Fully Self Contained, Super Slide, Loaded. $15,000. 931-8956.

185 MOTORCYCLES/ATVS

95 YAMAHA 350 WARRIOR 4 WHEELER $4,200.00 OBO POSSIBLE PARTS TRADE: JIM 452-2654.

190 BOATS/MOTORS

1987 ALUMACRAFT MAVERICK BOAT, 40-HP, Mariner Motor, 1993 30-LB Motor Guide Trolling Motor. New Seats, 2 Live Wells, Runs Great. $3500. 451-8736.

320 HELP WANTED

ALASKA JOBS! EARN UP TO $30,000 IN THREE MONTHS FISHING SALMON. ALSO CONSTRUCTION, CANNERIES, OIL FIELDS AND MORE! CALL 7 DAYS, 1-407-875-2022 EXT.2748 A-03

ARCHITECT
Expanding mid-size St. Louis A/E firm seeks quality architectural professionals to create and manage construction documents proficiently on Autocad. Also looking for a professional experienced in developing and maintaining architectural specifications. Applicants must have good communication skills, a 4 or 5 degree, ad a minimum of 8-10 years experience. Excellent professional development opportunities and benefits. For more information, visit our web site http://www.cascoatl.com
Send resume to
ARCHITECTURAL DEPT
CASCO CORP
10877 Watson Rd
St. Louis, MO 63127
or fax
(314)821-4162

OVER-STOCKED
WE HAVE SO MANY USED CARS, TRUCKS AND VANS IN STOCK... WE'RE RUNNING OUT OF PARKING SPACES.
HOW ABOUT YOUR DRIVEWAY?
50 TRUCKS & VANS • OVER 70 CARS IN STOCK
CHEVY • PONTIAC • GEO • CHRYSLER
DODGE • BUICK • MERCURY • FORD
OLDSMOBILE • IMPORTS
TOO MANY TO LIST THEM
BAD CREDIT? CALL JONI at 259-4900 EXTENSION #37
Need A Car? You Could Be Driving Today!
259-4900 ALBRECHT Geo HAMLIN 259-4900
Wood River Rt. 111

KOETTING FORD'S
Many, Many Models to Choose From!
GIANT
• Rockbottom Prices
• Top Trade-In Allowances
• On-The-Spot Financing
• Huge Selection
NEW YEAR SALES SELLEBRATION
A&Z PLAN BUYERS WELCOME
On Over 250 Cars and Trucks In Stock
SALE HOURS: MON.-WED.-FRI. 8:30 A.M.-8 P.M. TUES.-THURS.-SAT. 8:30 A.M.-6:00 P.M.
• BEST PRICES • BEST SERVICE • BEST VALUE

HUGE DISCOUNTS ON ALL REMAINING 1996 NEW & DEMO CARS & TRUCKS ONLY ~~30~~ 18 LEFT
AMERICA'S BEST SELLING CAR! 1997 FORD TAURUS NOW WITH $1,000 CASH BACK

FOR OUR VALUE CONSCIOUS BUYERS
$800,000 PRE-OWNED INVENTORY REDUCTION
NO NEGOTIATION NECESSARY!!!

AMERICA'S BEST SELLING SPORT UTILITY From $14,890 2 - 1993 Models 2 - 1994 Models Full Power & Air 4X4

92 PLYMOUTH SUNDANCE Clean, 4 Dr. Teal Car. Stk. #4056A. WAS $5,490 NOW $5,890	94 PONTIAC SUNBIRD 2 Dr., Sporty, Red Car. Stk. #3778A. WAS $8,490 NOW $7,690	91 TAURUS GL 6 Cyl., A/C, P/W, P/L & More. Stk. #4331A. WAS $8,490 NOW $7,990
91 COUGAR LS Auto., A/C, P/W & More. Stk. #3804A. WAS $8,390. NOW $7,990	91 MUSTANG LX CONV. 5.0L, V-8, "Loaded". 53,xxx Mi. Stk. #3876A. WAS $9,490 NOW $8,790	92 TAURUS LX Auto., P/W, PL, Tilt & Cruise. Stk. #4357A WAS $9,490 NOW $8,990
93 AEROSTAR XL PLUS 6 Cyl., Auto., P/W, P/L, & More. Stk. #4295A. WAS $11,490 NOW $10,590	93 MERCURY GR. MARQUIS All The Right Equipment. Stk. #3761A. WAS $12,990 NOW $12,490	95 FORD AEROSTAR XL PLUS 23,xxx Miles. Stk. #4025A. WAS $14,990 NOW $13,900	94 F-150 4X4 Stand Up Truck. Stk. #1078. WAS $14,987 NOW $14,300	94 CHEVY PU C-1500 SILVERADO SUPERCAB Stk. #3775A. WAS $17,990 NOW $16,990
94 GMC JIMMY 4X4 SLT Leather, Power. Stk. #4095A. WAS $17,990. NOW $17,690	PROGRAM CARS 1996 FORD TAURUS & MERCURY SABLE Fully Equipped Balance of Factory Warranty SAVE $1,000s FROM $13,999			95 F150 XLT All The Equipment And Only 14,xxx Miles. Stk. #4297A. WAS $19,885 NOW $18,490

1995 ESCORT LX 3 DR. Auto Transaxle, Air Cond., T-Glass, Power Steering, Power Brakes, Power Windows, Rear Defroster, Speed Control, Stereo Cassette. Stock #P2234 $8999
$11,999 1995 MERCURY MYSTIQUE GS 4 DR Stk. #P2198

KOETTING FORD INC. PARTS AND SERVICE DEPARTMENT OPEN MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 7:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M. The Mile South Of I-270 FORD
ALL PRICES EXCLUDE TAX, TITLE, LICENSE & DOC.

4.8% FINANCING AVAILABLE *SEE US FOR DETAILS*
NO PAYMENTS TILL APRIL 97

1997 PATHFINDERS
4X4 & 4X2
Great Savings $2000 Customer Cash
SE 4x4 w/Optional Off-Road, Sunroof/Bose® Pkgs. and Tire Carrier

1996 MAZDA 626
What A Deal!
$2,000 Customer Cash Back or 4.8% APR
Air, Dual Air Bags, Power, Tilt, Cruise.

1996 SENTRA
Best Car For Your Money!
$2,500 DISCOUNTS

TRI-CITY NISSAN-MAZDA
3685 E. Broadway, Alton, IL
618-463-1000 - IL
314-741-6022 - MO
OVERSTOCKED - OVERSTOCKED
PRICES SLASHED - MUST SELL!!!
PRE-OWNED — NO PAYMENT TIL APRIL OF 97

92 JEEP WRANGLER — V8 With Hardtop.
2 IN STOCK/92 NISSAN 4X4 — Extra Clean.
96 GMC SONOMA CAB PLUS 4X4 — Loaded!
95 CHEVY SILVERADO — Auto., Low Miles.
93 FORD F-150 — One Owner.
93 TOYOTA 4X4 T-100 — Must See!
93 SUZUKI SAMURAI 4X4 — Low Miles.
95 DODGE AVENGER

Dave Sinclair Ford

FOUNDED 1966

31st Year

"1996 WAS OUR BEST LEASE YEAR EVER!!

WE'VE GOT THE INVENTORY!
OVER 1000
CARS/TRUCKS/VANS!
WHY DRIVE ALL OVER TOWN?
COME STRAIGHT TO
DAVE SINCLAIR!

DUE TO OUR HUGE SUCCESS WE WILL OFFER FOR A LIMITED TIME ONLY A FREE VACATION TO OVER 30 DESTINATIONS IN THE USA ON ALL LEASES FROM JAN. 29 THRU JAN. 31. WE WANT TO START OUR 31ST YEAR IN BUSINESS WITH A BANG!!

THANK YOU AND HERES MY ADDRESS." — DAVE

OVER 80 DEMOS
ALL MODELS TO CHOOSE FROM
BIG SAVINGS

FULL SIZE CONVERSION VANS

OSAGE CONVERSION
POWER WINDOWS/LOCKS
CRUISE CONTROL
AM/FM CASS. AND MORE



REAR HEAT & AIR

96 CONVERSION VAN CLOSE-OUT
LARGE SELECTION • UP TO $8,000 IN DISCOUNTS

NEW 97 EXPEDITIONS
OVER 100 HARD TO GET EXPEDITIONS AND EXPLORERS



NOW ON SALE

TAKE YOUR PICK!

BRAND NEW 97 CONTOURS OR **LOADED BRAND NEW THUNDERBIRDS**

• AUTO • SE SPORT PKG • REAR DEFROST
• POWER LOCKS • SPEED CONTROL • AM/FM CASSETTE



LIMITED TIME ONLY
$14,995
DELIVERED AFTER ALL REBATES
WHILE THEY LAST

97 ESCORT



24 MONTHS
$1800 TRADE
OR CASH PLUS TAX
12,000 MILE/YEAR
LEASE

$99/MO
PLUS TAX
P.O.P. $7422.60

97 TAURUS
AT 96 PRICES
FULLY LOADED



$189/MO
PLUS TAX
P.O.P. $12,741.18

THESE WILL NOT LAST LONG!

97 RANGER XLT



$0 DOWN
CAPITALIZATION
$159/MO

• PB, PS
• Cast Alum. Wheels
• Air
• Sliding Rear Window
• AM/FM Cass.

PLUS TAX
P.O.P. $10019.80

PLUS TAXES & LEASE FEES 1ST PAYMENT & SEC. DEPOSIT 24 MO. LEASE 12,000 MILES PER YEAR

97 F-150 SUPERCAB 3 DOOR



$0 DOWN
CAPITALIZATION
$239/MO

• PB, PS
• Air
• AM/FM Radio
• Chrome Bumper

PLUS TAX
P.O.P. $14262.40

PLUS TAXES & LEASE FEES 1ST PAYMENT & SEC. DEPOSIT 24 MO. LEASE 12,000 MILES PER YEAR

SAVE OVER $5,000 ON 96 WINDSTARS

#34886

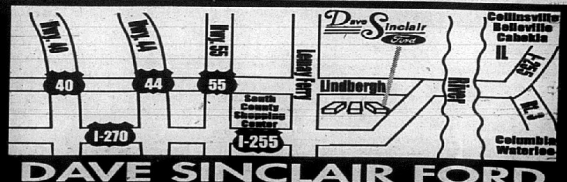


OR LEASE A 97 WINDSTAR FOR AS LITTLE AS
$229/MO
PLUS TAX
24xxx LEASE
WITH 10% DOWN
P.O.P. $13831.50

A, X AND Z PLAN WELCOMED



892-2600
1-888-SINCLAIR
(outside St. Louis)
1-800-BUY-FORD
Lindbergh at Lemay Ferry
"Your St. Louis Ford Dealer!"



DAVE SINCLAIR FORD

320 HELP WANTED

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★
DONATE BLOOD PLASMA
CASH!
PAY HOLIDAY BILLS!
$15 first donation
Up to $125 first month
CALL 436-7046
Repeat Donors $10 first donation in week; $20 second donation of week.
Repeat Donors not donated in past 3 months, bring ad for extra $5.
Bring a buddy for extra $5, no limit.
Alpha Plasma Center
1624 Delmar, St. Louis
M-F: 6am-6pm
SAT&SUN 7am-5pm

DRIVERS
We Need Drivers For Passenger Vans In The St. Louis Area Be Your Own Boss No Overnight Travel. Get Paid By The Hour VS Per Mile. Paid Vacation & Life Insurance. Must Have Clean Driving Record & Pass Drug Screen. Should Be $5.00-$5.25 To Start Will Increase After 90 Days. Call 1-800-597-1678 Mon-Fri 9:00AM-4:00PM.

EXPERIENCED BUS MECHANIC. Diesel & gas. A.C. a plus. Call 797-6070 for details.

EXPERIENCED PREP & grill cook. Apply at Becker's Restaurant, 921 Vandalia, Collinsville.

EXPERIENCED TRAILER MECHANIC, BENEFITS. (314)382-1153.

★ ★ ★ ★
FITTERS
ASME Code Fabrication, Steel Tanks, Etc. Work From Prints. Experienced.
Apply In Person:
CONTINENTAL FABRICATORS, INC.
5601 West Park Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63110
eoe
★ ★ ★ ★

FULL TIME Bookkeeper position available. Computer knowledge necessary. Send resume to: P.O. Box 667, Edwardsville, IL 62025.

FULL TIME pre-school teachers positions available. Must meet DCFS qualifications. Priscilla's Day Care, 604 W. Johnson, Collinsville. 345-9915.

General
IMMEDIATE OPENINGS!
Sitter Helper/Maintenance
Steel Company, 1 yr experience preferred, 1st & 2nd shift availability and overtime may be required. Steel toe shoes and reliable transportation a must.
Call for interview:
314-353-4061
Southside Temporaries
7329 South Broadway
St. Louis, MO 63111
equal opportunity employer

GENERAL OFFICE CLERK
EUNICE C. SMITH HOME
Are you looking for a part time position to allow more time at home?
Eunice C. Smith has a position for Four hours five day/week Mon-Fri
Duties include:
Light typing
Filing duties
Order supplies
Record keeping
Answering phones
Other duties as needed
If you are interested and are qualified
Please apply in person at:
Alton Memorial Hospital
Alton, IL 62002
XXXXXXXXXX
BJC LOGOXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXX

GIFT SHOP MANAGER
Do you have an urge to coordinate things and see things 'click'?
Do you smile when a custom er comes through the door?
ALTON MEMORIAL BOUTIQUE
has a Part-Time position for 3 days/week
Duties include:
Managing a volunteer staff Merchandising
Purchasing
Inventory control
If you are interested and are qualified
Please apply in person at:
Alton Memorial Hospital
Alton, IL 62002
XXXXXXXXXX
BJC LOGOXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXXX
XXXXXXXXXX

GUARD FOR NIGHT'S
Part-Time 22 1/2 Hours Per Week, Inside $7.00 Per Hour, North St. Louis Industrial Near Mckinley Bridge. Ideal For Older Person, In St. Louis Or Granite City Area. Send Resume To: BOX#1198 Journal/Record, 1815 Delmar, Granite City, IL 62040.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!
HAPPY NEW CAREER!
Our Top 10 List:
10. Avg. check $1000/wk
9. Annual convention
8. Quarterly bonuses
7. Monthly bonuses
6. Management opportunities
5. Flexible hours
4. Qualified leads
3. Full training and support
2. No travel
1. Prove to us you have integrity, committment, desire and focus to be on our winning team.
Interested?
Call Tony, 344-3320

HELP WANTED! G.C.CAR WASH 3653 NAMEOKI RD. APPLY WITHIN 8:30-5:30 MONDAY-FRIDAY.

HOMEMAKERS:Agency providing home care of the elderly is looking for homemakers We will train and benefits are offered. Please call 1-800-423-0526 for more information.

HOMEMAKERS/CNAS
Needed in Maryville, Madison and Alton Areas. Contact Complete Care Systems, Inc 462-6330. EOE

Laborer
PLANT LABORER
BFI BIO-TECH SERVICES
Reports to the Operations Manager. Send resumes to:
#1178, Journals
1714 Deer Tracks Trail
St. Louis, MO. 63131

LABORERS
$6 hour, good driving record. Call 344-1685.

Labor
WORK TODAY!
PAID TODAY!
Too Many Jobs
Not Enough Workers
NO FEES, Apply Mon-Sat
LABOR READY
2079 New Smizer Mill Rd.
861-3777
7806 Olive, University City
314-725-2090
4641 S. Grand, S. St. Louis
314-351-0600
115 Florissant Oaks, N. County
314-921-1414
2140 First Capitol, St. Charles
314-940-2822
3661 Nameoki Rd., Granite City
618-877-2400

Live-in Companion or Private Nurse to take care of 49 year old man with arthritis starting Feb.23 in Herrin, IL will pay $300 per week, if interested call 618-325-1151 & leave message.

LOCAL CONCRETE company is overloaded with work. Needs small flatwork companies to sub-contract work. Call 288-6687.

MAINTENANCE/ MECHANIC/SUPERVISOR
This position will report to the Operations manager. Responsibilities will include performing maintenance on all aspects of the incinerator and industrial waste water pretreatment system as well as supervision of the night shift crew. Qualified person will have a minimum of 2 years supervisory experience and 3 years in a maintenance/mechanical position. Candidate must have a high school diploma and preferably technical training. Please send resume to:
Browning Ferris Industries
#1177, Journals
1714 Deer Tracks Trail
St. Louis, MO. 63131

MECANIC NEEDED. Tools, Experience, Part Time -Retired? BEACH, 797-6662.

MECHANIC & ATTENDANT
Able to do light repairs & also do attendant's duties.
874-6289

NOW HIRING WAITRESSES. APPLY IN PERSON AT THE PLATINUM CLUB, MONDAY -SATURDAY, AFTER 12NOON. (618)274-2582.

OFFICE ASSISTANT. Full time. Edwardsville area near SIUE. Basic computer skills, typing, filing, some customer contact. Send resume to: Box 2282, % Collinsville Journal, 113 E. Clay St., Collinsville, IL 62234.

OPTICIANS
Immediate openings for full time and part time Opticians in busy eye care offices located in Group Health Plan Centers throughout the metro/eastside St. Louis areas. FRONT DESKRECEPTIONISTS also needed. Call Gerry or Amy at 314-726-2277.

PART TIME HELP! Entry Level Mechanic Needed, Some Experience, Part Time/Evenings. Tools Not Required, Interest in Cars Helpful, Near Gateway International; Call 271-0100 Ask For BRYAN.

PART-TIME Qualified Child-care Worker Needed For Day-care Center. For Additional Information Call Cindy At 877-0039.

PART TO FULL TIME Receptionist/Technician. Mornings & Some Afternoons. Mon-Fri, Experience Preferred, Send Resume Or Apply In Person. Bellemore Animal Hospital 2117 Johnson Road, Granite City.

Check out the classifieds. You'll find lots of bargains!

PRODUCT DEMONSTRATORS, part time. Earn up to $45 per day. Interviews Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9am -111am; 15620 Manchester, Suite 210, Ellisville, MO. 314 -391-8763.

Restaurant
APPLEBEE'S
Now hiring the most energetic, enthusiastic and team oriented people for the following position at the following location!
SERVERS
11077 New Halls Ferry
Florissant, MO

REAL ESTATE SALES
EXCELLENT EARNINGS!
FLEXIBLE HOURS!
THOROUGH TRAINING!
MUST BE 21 AND HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE -NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY
For more information Call JOHN at
STAR REALTORS
876-0024

Rothman Carpet Outlet, Sales /Warehouse, pay varies with experience, ask for Tom, 624 -2004

RESTAURANT
ARBY'S ROAST BEEF RESTAURANTS MANAGEMENT
Arby's is now hiring for management positions at all of their locations. Experience not necessary. Competitive salary. Five day work week. Bonus. Paid vacation. Requirements: high school education, automobile, phone. Please call Debbie on Wednesday at 727-9701 or send resume to:
ARBY'S
Attn: Training Manager
8860 Ladue Rd.
2nd Floor
St. Louis, MO 63124

Well established Troy based business is looking for individuals to help with the pre-wiring of homes and businesses. We specialize in home theater, audio and video. Great opportunity for someone who is ambitious. Needs to be energetic, dependable, possess good communication skills and show great attention to detail. Construction or electronic experience helpful but not necessary. Salary based upon experience.
667-8777

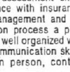
TRUCK DRIVERS
Air Products and Chemicals, Inc., a worldwide manufacturer of industrial gases, has opportunities for experienced OTR drivers in its cryogenic fleet operations at Granite City, IL
We offer:
- Current Mileage Rate of $.3430 and an Hourly Rate of $14.72
- Comprehensive Benefits package including Medical and Dental Benefits and Pension Plan
- Meals and Layover Expenses.
- Local, OTR, and Team Bid Boards.
- Strict DOT Compliance.
- Regionalized Hauling.

If you meet the following requirements, you may qualify for one of these select openings:
- High School Graduate or Equivalent.
- Minimum Age 24.
- Minimum 3 Years OTR and Tractor-trailer Experience.
- Class "A" CDL with Haz/Mat and Tanker Endorsements.
- Meet all DOT Requirements.

For consideration, applicants should send a letter or resumé outlining work and wage history, education, personal data and telephone number to:
Air Products and Chemicals, Inc.
Human Resources
4300 Commerce Ct., Ste. 315
Lisle, IL 60532
YOU KNOW ABOUT THE REST,
NOW CONSIDER THE BEST
Air Products and Chemicals, Inc.
AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER

APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT
MADISON POLICE OFFICER
THE QUALIFICATIONS LISTED BELOW ARE NOT COMPLETE. FOR A COMPLETE LISTING OF QUALIFICATION, PLEASE REFER TO THE RULES & REGULATIONS ENCLOSED IN EACH APPLICATION PACKET.
APPLICANT MUST:
1. BE AT LEAST 21 YEARS OF AGE AT THE TIME OF THE APPLICATION DEADLINE.
2. POSSESS OR BE ABLE TO OBTAIN A VALID ILLINOIS DRIVER'S LICENSE.
3. PASS A WRITTEN EXAMINATION, ORAL INTERVIEW, BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION, POLYGRAPH TEST, PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAM, PHYSICAL AGILITY TEST, AND A THOROUGH MEDICAL EXAMINATION.
4. ACCORDING TO CITY ORDINANCE #1254 POLICEMEN SHALL BECOME ACTUAL RESIDENTS (DOMICILED) IN THE CITY OF MADISON WITHIN 90 DAYS FROM THE FIRST DATE OF THEIR GAINFUL EMPLOYMENT WITH THE CITY OF MADISON. THE ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF PRIMARY RESIDENCE WITHIN THE CITY OF MADISON SHALL BE A CONDITION OF CONTINUED EMPLOYMENT FOR SAID EMPLOYEE.
5. HAVE A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR G.E.D.
6. HAVE 20/20 VISION OR AT LEAST 20/50 BINOCULAR VISION WITHOUT GLASSES, CORRECTABLE TO 20/20 WITH GLASSES AND SHALL NOT BE COLOR BLIND.
7. SIGN UP AT THE DESK OF THE MADISON POLICE DEPARTMENT BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 9:00 AM MONDAY 03 FEBRUARY 1997 AND 5:00 PM FRIDAY 14 FEBRUARY 1997. NO SIGN IN'S AFTER 5:00 PM FRIDAY 14 FEBRUARY 1997 WILL BE ACCEPTED.
8. MADISON IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.
BOARD OF FIRE AND POLICE COMMISSIONERS

Medical/Healthcare Careers




LPN
WEEKENDS ONLY
Primary care position
If you enjoy working with the elderly in a positive friendly environment, you may wish to join our team! Excellent benefits: tuition reimbursement, vacation/holiday/sick, health/dental insurance, 401k retirement plan. Please apply in person:
NHC HEALTHCARE
2920 Fee Fee Rd.
Maryland Heights MO 63043
equal opportunity employer

LPN - PART TIME
CNAS - FULL TIME
Great starting salary and benefits package
Interested individuals, please contact:
Spanish Lake Nursing Center
13700 Old Halls Ferry Rd.
Florissant MO 63033
314-366-6660
equal opportunity employer

WESTVIEW NURSING CENTER
LPN
Full & part time, All shifts
Westview Nursing & Rehabilitation Center
1127 Timber Run, Creve Coeur MO 63146
434-8361. EOE.

CNA POSITIONS
3-11 ONLY
We're looking for long term employees with long term care experience. Must be certified in the state of Missouri. **Excellent benefits.** If you love working with the elderly in a positive, friendly environment, please apply at:
NHC HEALTHCARE
2920 Fee Fee Rd.
Maryland Heights MO 63043
equal opportunity employer

★ ★ ★
★ RN ★ CNA/NA ★
★ RN - 12 HR SHIFTS - DAYS FOR EVERY OTHER WEEKEND
★ CNA/NA - FULL TIME - DAYS
• 12 HOUR SHIFTS, 3 DAYS = FULL TIME
• Paid health/dental insurance
• Wknd differential/Earn time off
• Pd. certification class
Come see our beautiful working environment!!
BROOKING PARK
307 S. Woods Mill Rd (Off Hwy 40/141)
Chesterfield MO; 576-5545
EOE

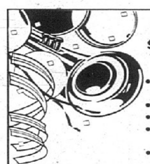
CAREER OPPORTUNITY
For an LPN or RN with good nursing assessment skills. Experience with insurance, case management and the admission process a plus. Must be well organized with good communication skills. Apply in person, contact Ann:
IHS OF GRAVOIS
10954 Kennerly Rd.
St. Louis, MO 63128
843-4242
equal opportunity employer

Clayton House Healthcare Center
13995 Clayton Road
in Town & Country between Woods Mill Road (Hwy 141) & Weidman Road
OPEN POSITIONS
★ Director of Nursing
★ LPN's/RN's: Part time.
★ RN Staff Educator: CNA/CMT certified.
★ CNA's: Must be certified.
★ Alzheimers Unit Nurse Manager.
Please apply in person, Mon.-Fri., 8:30am-5:00pm.

WESTVIEW NURSING CENTER
NEW PAY SCALE
CNAs
Sign On Bonus
$200 for CNAs
Day shift $6 per hour
Evening shift $6.50 per hour
Nights $7 per hour
CMTs
$7.25 per hour
Walk-in interviews
Apply in person:
Westview Nursing & Rehabilitation Center
1127 Timber Run
Creve Coeur MO 63146
434-8361. EOE.

NURSING POSITIONS AVAILABLE
CHARGE NURSES - Full time, part time and PRN, all shifts (8 hr & 12 hr shifts).
CMTs - Full & part time & PRN, all shifts.
CNAs/NAs - Full time, part time; all shifts (certified only, $6.50/hr part time). (non-certified only, $6.00/hr part time).
Apply in person:
PARKSIDE TOWERS
4960 Laclede (1 block north of Jewish Hospital), St. Louis
equal opportunity employer

★ ★ ★
RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGIST
Registry and mammography experience required, for multiple outpatient radiology facilities. Call Mrs. Parrish, Mon.-Fri., 10am-3pm:
567-0583
★ ★ ★



CNA'S/NA'S HAPPY 1997!
START THE NEW YEAR WITH A NEW CAREER!
FULL & PART TIME, ALL SHIFTS
- New Higher Pay Scale
- Affordable Health & Dental Insurance
- Attendance Bonuses
- Liberal Vacations
- Paid sick leave
- Family atmosphere
- Referral bonuses AND Love, Care & understanding

DELMAR GARDENS OF CHESTERFIELD
14855 NO. OUTER 40 RD.
CHESTERFIELD

DELMAR GARDENS OF CREVE COEUR
850 COUNTY MANOR LN.
CREVE COEUR

DELMAR GARDENS ON THE GREEN
15197 CLAYTON ROAD
CHESTERFIELD

DELMAR GARDENS WEST
13550 SO. OUTER RD.
CHESTERFIELD

DELMAR GARDENS SOUTH
5300 BUTLER HILL RD.
SOUTH COUNTY

CMTs/CNAs/NAs
GARDEN VIEW CARE CENTER OF CHESTERFIELD
1025 Chesterfield Pointe Parkway
(1 mile north of 40/64 on Olive)
Hiring CMTs for 7-3/3-11
Hiring CNAs & NAs for all shifts
- Every other weekend off
- Perfect attendance bonus paid every pay period
- Excellent benefit package

GARDEN VIEW care center
Please call 537-3333

Career Opportunity Nursing Assistants
Paid certification class in one of today's fastest growing professions - Certified Nursing Assistants. If you are a dependable, caring individual and enjoy working with the elderly, THE WESTCHESTER HOUSE Certification program is for you!!! This is an entry level full time position which includes class instruction and on the job training. No fees; Earn while you learn a new career.
Call today, 469-1200
THE WESTCHESTER HOUSE
550 White Rd.
Chesterfield
EOE

Sales/Telemarketing

SALES
Cassens
EDWARDSVILLE/GLEN CARBON
CHRYSLER • DODGE • PLYMOUTH
We Have Opportunity For . . .
PROFESSIONAL SALES POSITION
WE OFFER:
✦ Demo Plan
✦ PAID Vacation
✦ Insurance Program
✦ Commission
ON-THE-JOB TRAINING TO INCREASE EARNINGS
QUALIFICATIONS:
✦ Driving Desire for Success; Willing to Work to Achieve Goals
✦ Clean Living Habits; Good Reputation
✦ Valid Driver's License
Apply in person at our **NEW LOCATION**
across from Cottonwood Plaza
Route 159 South
Glen Carbon • Edwardsville
NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F

Sales
Team Leaders/ Account Supervisors
Due to tremendous growth, Maritz Teleservices has several career opportunities for strong sales managers. These Team Leader and Account Supervisor positions are in our **Fenton center.** These management positions involve supervising associates who are selling cellular services to customers who are already doing business with our client.

Team Leader responsibilities include call monitoring and feedback, managing to quality and sales goals, motivation and training, performance evaluations and employee relations. Qualifiications include:
★ College degree (preferred)
★ 1-2 years of supervisory experience in a **sales environment** (preferably in an outbound call center)
★ Proven leadership and organizational skills
★ Excellent oral and written communication skills
★ PC knowledge - ability to learn new systems quickly
★ Ability to work flexible schedule

Account Supervisorresponsibilities include providing management and developmental support for multiple Team Leaders. They will also ensure adherence to project methods and procedures and monitor and analyze project results.
Qualifications include:
★ College degree (preferred)
★ Three (3) + years supervisory experience in a **sales environment** (preferably in an outbound call center)
★ Proven project management experience
★ Proven leadership and organizational skills
★ Excellent oral and written communication skills
★ PC knowledge - ability to learn new systems quickly

We offer:
★ Competitive compensation
★ Paid training
★ Advancement opportunities
★ Convenient locations
★ Professional, team oriented environment

For immediate consideration, please send or fax resume with salary history to:
MARITZ TELESERVICES GROUP
Attn: J.D.
1315 North Highway Drive
St. Louis, MO 63099
Fax: 314-861-4340

Sales

Guess what we use to move miles of tubular steel.
The telephone, that's right. Here at Tubular Steel we have one of America's largest inventories of steel, and the way we move the product—fast!—is through telephone sales...conducted by inside sales pros we've trained to be the best. We're growing at a tremendous rate by continually expanding our customer base. So now we're increasing our inside sales staff in St. Louis. You'll call prospects, build customer relationships and close sales on the phone. We offer:
- Excellent Earnings Potential
- Salary & Top Incentive Bonuses
- Outstanding 6-Week Training
- Competitive Benefits

These **ENTRY LEVEL POSITIONS** require 2-years of successful experience in cold calling with plenty of self-motivation and a good head for details and numbers. Make a great growth future for yourself at Tubular Steel with our competitive benefits such as profit-sharing and 401(k). Send your resume with earnings history to: **Tubular Steel, Inc., Dept. SBJ, 1031 Executive Parkway Dr., St. Louis, MO 63141, Attn: Personnel.** Equal Opportunity Employer

Since 1953
Tubular Steel, Inc.

SEARS HOME IMPROVEMENT SALES
All of our prospects know our name. We will provide you with 3 or more pre-set appointments each day, for Sears Home Improvements. This is a solid career opportunity and we are looking for Dependable, Money Motivated people. We also provide:
★★★★ PAID TRAINING ★★★★
★★★★ FULL BENEFITS ★★★★
★★★★ 401K PLAN ★★★★
If you are looking for a real future with a reputable company, we need to talk. Our average Rep will earn $$30,000-$$50,000 per year.
For personal interview call:
GREG 314-909-1113

Sales
SEARS HOME IMPROVEMENTS
ATTENTION CAREER SEEKERS
Want to start off the new year the right way? American Home Improvement Products, Inc., a Sears authorized contractor, is seeking both experienced and inexperienced home improvement outside Sales Reps. Training class starts soon! We are the largest full line remodeler in the nation and want to continue our rapid growth and we need you! We offer:
•Qualified pre-set appointments
•Power of Sears name and financing
•401k
•Health benefits
•Rapid advancement
If you want to hear more about this dynamic career opportunity, call for an interview, John at 1-800-856-6163.
equal opportunity employer

INDUSTRIAL SALES
Established leader in conveyor bucket products seeks inside Sales Marketer for industrial products. Heavy telephone with up to 20% travel. Base salary plus incentive commission program. Health insurance and excellent 401k provided. Send resume to:
TAPCO INC
225 Rock Industrial
Park Drive
Bridgeton, Mo 63044
Equal Opportunity Employer

Retail
SALES ASSOCIATES
• Ellisville
• Alton
• South County
• Florissant Square
To provide for the efficient exchange of money for goods in the retail outlet. Responsible for operating the cash register accurately, assist customers in a professional and courteous manner.
MANAGER
• ALTON
• ELLISVILLE
• ST CHARLES
The primary duty of the retail manager is to manage staff to ensure the proper operation of the store. Meet established revenue goals while maintaining satisfactory expenses to revenue ratio. Maintain adequate volume merchandise on sales floor. Ensure that customers needs are being met. Promote collection of donated goods. Must have 2-3 years experience with sales merchandising and supervision. Associate of Arts degree in retail related curriculum highly desirable.
Please contact Personnel at (314) 371-6320, ext.246 or ext.284.
EOE M/F/D/V

TO PLACE YOUR AD IN THIS SECTION CALL
314-821-1555

Sales
EARN EXTRA MONEY IN A FUN WORKING ATMOSPHERE!
Evergreen Lawns in Kirkwood has part time positions available for Telemarketers.
★Positions starting now
★Monday-Friday, some Saturdays
★3 shifts: 9am-1pm, 1pm-5pm, 5pm-9pm
★Guaranteed hourly rate: $5.75
★Ideal for retirees, homemakers, students
★No experience necessary
For details, call Kate, Judi or Sharon at 822-1247.
equal opportunity employer

Customer Service/Telesales
GREAT PART TIME SCHEDULES
8:30 am TO 2 pm OR 5 pm TO 11 pm
25 hour set schedules - Paid holidays -
5 days vacation every 6 months - 2 personal days a year
A clean, smoke free, modern facility.
IDS DIRECT contacts consumers who have purchased electronic equipment and gives them the opportunity to protect their investement through an Extended Service Plan. If you like being on the phone, this may be the perfect job for you.
★ **High earnings potential ($12+ per hour)**
★ **Base pay ($7.50 per hour)**
If you can bring a strong work ethic, good communication skills and high reliability to the job, we can train you to sell!
PAID TRAINING OF COURSE! Call Rick Goldstein:
531-8800 extension 3658 or stop in Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm:
IDS DIRECT (A Division of AON)
14400 South Outer 40 Rd., Chesterfield MO 63017
EOE

INSIDE SALES
Great opportunity with an established company!
MARITZ, Inc. has Inside Sales openigs NOW at our Fenton Center. Flexible scheduling: 25-40 hours/week. Your chance to advance begins here!
If you have sales experience, a strong communication style, good grammar and spelling skills, a professional attitude and Window PC knowledge:
We offer:
- All working shifts
- Premium pay for PM's/wknds
- Benefits for qualified Associates
- Competitive pay & paid training
- Professional, smoke free environment

You must be available to do inbound teleservice work and have a positive, outgoing attitude! We are also looking for a number of spanish-speaking candidates.
For information on the Fenton Center, please leave a message today!
827-2185

TWA IS HIRING TWA is an equal opportunity employer.
Reservation Sales Agents
The St. Louis Reservations Center is growing. Needed are 300 individuals with a sales or customer service background to meet the expanding needs of TWA Customers.
QUALIFICATIONS:
18 Years of Age
High School Grad or GED
Typing skills
Attend TWTA Tuition based training
Financed thru payrole deduction
TWA OFFERS:
Salary Plus Sales Incentive Program
Excellent Travel Benefits
Medical/Health/Life Insurance effective on first day!
Career Growth Opportunities
Applicants are asked to contact
1-800-942-7467
11495 Natural Bridge Road—Lindbergh & Natural Bridge Rds.
The Employee Owners of TWA Invite You to Join our Team!

HELP WANTED ADS GET GREAT RESULTS!

Meet Your Match

Respond to your favorite ads today!
1-900-786-7087
$2.19 per minute. You must be 18 years old or older to use this service.

To place your FREE ad, call
1-800-442-1289



Now Featuring FREE Message Retrieval

Ads from Women

19-year-old SWF, likes gothic style, industrial music, movies, reading, concerts and having fun. ISO SWM, 19-24, medium build, honest, affectionate, employed. ☎14552

23-year-old, full-figured SWF, blonde/blue, with one child. ISO SWM, 22-26, nonsmoker, social drinker, who likes children, for serious relationship. ☎14426

23-year-old, 5'6", 107 lbs, blonde/hazel, currently attending college. Enjoys homelife, church, social drinking. ISO honest Male. ☎14770

30-year-old, plus-sized SWF, mother of one, likes camping, movies, dining out and affection. ISO honest S/DWM, 24-38. No games. ☎14645

39-year-old Female looking for companionship. 80 miles out of St. Louis. ☎14626

60-year-old WWWF, 5'8", attractive, enjoys dance, music, walks, bingo, flea markets and travel. ISO SWM, 55-65, who's honest, sincere, affectionate, lively, good sense of humor. For monogamous relationship. ☎14644

Adventurous SWF, 36, enjoys theater, bicycling, movies, romantic evenings, togetherness. ISO attractive S/DWM, 34-42, for serious relationship. ☎14346

Adventurous SWCF, 37, 5'2", slender, educated, attractive, friendly, enjoys travel, church, family, fitness. Seeking S/DWCM, 41-50, with similar interests. ☎14758

Affectionate, attractive, 5'5", 130 lbs, woman of Indian, French, Scottish descent. Seeks full-fledged Native American man, outdoors-type. Friendship, dating. ☎14656

Affectionate DWCF, 37, n/s, n/d. Enjoys dancing, dining, cooking, family life. ISO S/DWM, 35-50 for serious relationship. ☎14414

Affectionate, active, energetic DWF, 45, homeowner, enjoys outdoors, country, movies, fishing, cooking, romantic evenings. ISO Gentleman, with similar interest. ☎14485

Affectionate, St. Peters. DWF, 50, enjoys movies, flea markets. ISO S/DWM, 40+, with similar interests, for possible monogamous relationship. ☎14564

Affectionate, attractive, funny SWF, 18, likes to have fun. Looking for athletic-type Man, 18-25, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎14751

Alluring Aries. Attractive, trim, sincere, caring DWF, professional, 5'5", blonde/brown, enjoys dancing, concerts, theater, golf. Prefer n/s, social drinking, fit, ambitious, humorous, degreed Gentleman, 38-50. West County area. ☎14659

Alluring, affectionate, caring SWF, 53, 5'9", smoker, social drinker. Enjoys fishing, boating, good movies. ISO good-humored, fun, down-to-earth SWM, 50-62, 6'+. ☎14521

Attention shoppers! One good Woman, 41, attractive, shopping for good Man, with good qualities, for solid, honest relationship. Togetherness is important. ☎14387

Attractive DWF, 47, n/s, enjoys movies, music, dining and motorcycles. Seeking sincere, easygoing, honest Man for friendship and possibly dating. ☎14593

Attractive, smart, sensual, professional SWF, charming, sophisticated, independent yet intimate. ISO multidimensional SWM, 56-64. Enjoys culture, piano, travel, cuddling, commitment. ☎14408

Attractive, 36-year-old DWF, 5'5", 128 lbs, blonde/blue, one child, professional, ambitious. ISO attractive S/DWM, 36-46, fun, responsible, financially stable. ☎14405

Attractive, intelligent, 22-year-old DW mother of two, 5'5", 108 lbs. ISO funny, hardworking WM, 23-32, to date and possible relationship. ☎14445

Attractive DPF, 5'9", ISO D/WW/B/HPM, 40s-50s, 5'10"+, ex-baseball player, honest, easy-going, fun-loving, financially and mentally secure, n/drugs. ☎14529

Attractive WF, 47, 5'3", 120 lbs, brown/brown, smoker. Seeking monogamous relationship with WM, 44-52. Enjoys movies, outdoors, fishing, family, dancing. ☎14535

Attractive, caring, 31-year-old DWF, athletic, 5'7", enjoys softball, music, dancing. ISO person with sense of humor. For friendship, relationship. ☎14562

Attractive DWCF, n/s, n/d, 40 plus, holy spirit-filled, dark hair and eyes, bright smile. ISO DWCM. ☎14615

Attractive, financially secure, professional, fun SWF, 53. Seeking nice-looking, tall, professional, financially secure, fun-loving, honest SWM, 45-55. Collinsville area. ☎14742

Average-looking DWF, 27, junior high math teacher. ISO caring, fun-loving S/DWM, 25-30. ☎14434

Average-looking DWF, 40, looking for Male between 35 and 40, must like kids and be outgoing. ☎14584

Beauty and brains is what you get with me. ISO attractive SWM, 25-40, to make all my dreams come true. ☎14583

Black Woman, 49, loves reading, writing, long walks, seeking tall Man, 50-55, race unimportant, 5'10" or taller, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎14433

Blue-collar Man. I love a uniformed Man. Attractive SBF, 39, 5'6", brown/brown. Enjoys movies, concerts, museums, zoos. Seeks S/DBM, 35-45. ☎14561

Caring SBF, 26, 5'3", 130 lbs, very attractive. ISO S/DM, 26-40, handsome, romantic, stable and a true Gentleman. Race unimportant. ☎14725

Caring, honest, affectionate SBF, 50s, enjoys dining out, movies, traveling. ISO S/DBM, 45-60, who shares the same interests, for companionship. ☎14545

Cherokee-White Woman, affectionate, 5'5", 140 lbs, long/green, attractive, sweet personality. Seeking Indian Man, dark-complected, nice personality, for dating. Leave number. ☎14651

Cowgirl want-to-be seeking friendship with an athletic cowboy. WF, 33, fit, professional, likes country music, dancing, biking, movies, etc. ☎14652

Cuddly, warm teddy bear wanted! Degreed DWF, 42, seeks outgoing, natured teddy bear for winter months. Grizzlies need not apply. ☎14348

Cute, affectionate SF, 24, seeking honest, sincere SWM, 25-30. Must have a good sense of humor and enjoy having good times. ☎14463

Cute, Lonely SBF, 39, 5'4", 133 lbs, looking for a BM, 35-39, financially secure, intersts: music, movies, dining, bowling, bingo. ☎14602

Cute, professional, petite DWF, 43, loves The Muny, dancing, exercise. Seeking attractive, tall, n/s DWM, physically fit, to party. ☎14623

DBF, two children, very outgoing, enjoys movies, walks in the park. Seek S/DM, 30-35, outgoing and enjoys quiet music. Nonsmoker. ☎14401

Designing Woman, DWF, 44. ISO structurally-sound M, solid foundation built on honesty, humor, communication. Let's maintain, not renovate our floor plans. ☎14720

Determined, attractive SBF, 38, ISO SBM, 38-45; looking for inteligent, honest and outgoing Gentleman to spend fun times with. ☎14428

Down-to-earth DWCF, 38, brown/blue, n/s, n/d, enjoys life, tired of phonies. Seeking S/DWM, 38-45, with similar interests. ☎14393

Down-to-earth, exciting, fun-loving DBF, 5'3", 130 lbs, ISO fortysomething S/DBM who's mature, enjoys having fun and snuggling in the Winter. ☎14569

Down-to-earth DWF, 22, one child, smoker, enjoys walks, boating, travel, movies. Seeking S/DWM, 25+, loves children, similar interests. Occasional drinker ok. ☎14502

Down-to-earth, affectionate DWF, 31, 5'2", medium build, blond/hazel. Enjoys animals, kids, reading, walks, biking. Seeking S/DWM, for long-term relationship. ☎14750

DWCF, 26, 5'10", attractive, genuine, sincere. ISO S/DWCM, 26-36, n/s, light drinker, tall, large build, who loves children and pets. ☎14390

DWF, 28, seeking good friend to go out and have fun with, 25-45; must like children. ☎14575

DWF, 31, 5'10", 140 lbs, blonde/green, one teenager, ISO tall, handsome, honest, caring, compassionate S/DWM, with sense of humor. ☎14427

DWF, 44, spontaneous, unpretentious, down-to-earth, full-figured, smoker, social drinker. Seeks tall S/DWM, to share dream, love, friendship and long-term relationship. ☎14698

DWF, 45, attractive, average build, responsible, intelligent, humorous. Loves children, teenagers, outdoors, homelife, laughing. ISO similar SWM, 43-53 ☎14639

DWF, 48, 5'5", 138 lbs, auburn/green, witty, enjoys reading, dancing, sporting events, ISO tall WM, humorous, sincere, for long-term relationship. ☎14472

DWF, two children, seeks platonic relationship. Must like kids. ☎14464

Earth angel, blonde, bright SWF, European sensibilities, believes smart is sexy. Enjoys piano, multi-cultural arts; ISO SWM, 55 plus, soul mate. ☎14753

Energetic SWCF, 35, physically fit, educated, honest, caring, ambitious. Enjoys movies, concerts, dining out, travel. ISO SWCM, 33-40 with similar interests. ☎14757

Enjoys laughter, dining out, movies, cuddling, quiet times. DWF, 43, full-figured, looking for that special Guy to share time with. ☎14715

Exciting, honest, funny DWF, 45, enjoys movies, walks, bowling, music, n/s, n/d, no children. Seeks SWM, 40-50. No head games. ☎14566

Eyes of blue, heart of love, wonderful sense of humor, SWF, 51, teacher, likes camping, traveling, cooking. Seeks n/s, fun Gentleman. ☎14669

Faithful, honest SWF, 18, with one child, ISO SWM, 18-25, who's looking for a serious relationship. ☎14413

Financially secure, affectionate, caring WWWCF, 5'4", 148 lbs, brunette, n/s, n/d, likes walking, dancing, dining, one-woman Man. ISO SWCM, 58-68. ☎14625

Full-figured DWF, 47, 5'7", romantic and lonely. ISO tender, loving, honest S/DWM who wants a one-Man Woman. ☎14514

Fun-loving, wild and crazy SBF, 19. Likes movies, relaxing, going to clubs. ISO honest, caring, responsible, understanding SM, 20-25 for dating, relationship. ☎14375

Fun-loving, active DWF, 49, likes country music, movies, dining out, travel and quiet times at home, n/s, casual drinker. ☎14500

Fun-loving SBF, 21, one child, enjoys movies, bowling, dining out. Looking for friendship, possible relationship with SM, outgoing, sincere, stable, considerate. ☎14517

Hey good-lookin'! You're a handsome, well-built, affectionate S/DWM. I'm an attractive DWF, 41, looking for you. Togetherness and quality time. ☎14613

Holly lighter anyone? Daytona bike week is coming up! ISO handsome riding partner, I'm attractive, blonde/blue, mid-40s, professional, enjoy outdoors. ☎14686

Honest WWWF, 63, 5'3", petite, smoker, enjoys life, love, laughter, financially secure. ISO financially secure D/WWWM, 5'10"+, 58-65; friendship/relationship. ☎14456

Honest WWWF, 63, 5'3", petite, smoker, enjoys life, love, laughter, financially secure. Seeking D/WWWM, financially secure, 5'10"+, 58-65. Friendship/relationship. ☎14762

Honest, athletic DWF, young 45, 5'9", proportionate, n/s, professional, varied interests, one child, dogs; Webster area. Seeking same in SWM, 35-55. ☎14484

Horse lovers only. SWF, 33, 5'8", 120 lbs, likes beautiful horses, fast cars and adventure. ISO Gentleman, 6'+, 30+, similar interests. ☎14539

ISO happiness. Down-to-earth, red-headed SF, 36, looking for Mr. Right, n/s, social drinker. Looking for a nice Guy. ☎14737

Jefferson County Lady. 46, 5'6", 160 lbs, ISO long-term relationship with WM, honest, sincere and caring. No game players. ☎14658

Large and lovely. SWF, 37, blonde/green, on the loose. ISO S/DWM, 35-45, for fishing, movies, music and fun. ☎14508

Looking for honest BM, 37-49, loves quiet evenings at home, for possible long-term relationship. I am a SBF, attractive, 5'3", fun-loving, love kids. ☎14601

Loves to dance. DWCF, 50, 5'7", auburn, educated, talented, loves to write. Seeks sincere SWCM, with similar qualities, for social companion. ☎14632

Loves to laugh, communicate, hold hands, learn. SWF, 46, n/s, many interests. ISO honest, caring SWM, 40-57, for friendship and relationship. ☎14637

Me: SWPF, 5'6", slim, attractive, curious, enthusiastic, enjoys life, golf, trout fishing, boating, tennis, fitness, love, togetherness with you. 49+. ☎14683

Mischievous, spunky, slender, 5'8" DWF, 48, seeks emotionally strong, honest S/DWM, 44-54, with positive attitude; variety, laughing, outdoors. ☎14631

New Age vegetarian seeks easygoing, open-minded S/DCM, 25-35, 5'4"-5'10", medium build, for lots of fun without the games. N/s. ☎14388

Nice-looking SWF, 18, black/brown, likes sports, animals, music and wild life. Seeking Christian M, n/d, n/s, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎14441

North County, attractive DWF, 41, 5'1", 140 lbs, sense of humor, likes having fun, considerate smoker, n/d, seeking honest S/DWM. ☎14606

North County, full-figured DWF, 44, 5'4", ISO S/DWM, 37-47, n/s, honest, caring, spiritual, for friendship, companionship, relationship. ☎14713

Not looking for marriage or money. Attractive, humorous, intelligent, physically young WWWF, mid-50s, 5'4", 113 lbs, smoker, social drinker. ISO similar WM. ☎14741

Outgoing DWF, 26, 5'7", one child, looking for honest, affectionate S/DM, 27-32, enjoys good conversation, dancing, sports. Kids ok. ☎14731

Outgoing SWF, 42, would like to meet S/WWBM, 35-45, for dating and companionship. Nonsmoker. ☎14505

Outgoing SWF, 25, loves animals, easygoing, smoker. ISO SWM, 26-30, with similar interests, for friendship, possibly more. ☎14599

Parrot head, DWF, 43, n/s, ISO "Jolly Mon." Let's "phlock" to "One Particular Harbor" in "Margaritaville" and devour a "Cheeseburger in Paradise." ☎14716

Petite brunette, college-degreed DWF, 42, shared custody of two teenagers, ISO educated, emotionally and financially stable S/DWM, 37-47. ☎14719

Petite SWF, 23, red/green; interested in going out, being with friends, just having a good time. Seeking SWM, 25-35, same interests. ☎14636

Petite WCF, 50, n/s, n/d, enjoys good times, art museums, flea markets, ISO WCM, 48-60, spirit filled. ☎14462

Petite WF, 50s, brown/blue, seeking SWM, late 40s to early 50s, medium build, average height, no dependents, n/s, n/d, n/drugs, drug-free. ☎14556

Petite, athletic SWF, 42, 5'2", redhead. Enjoys music, romance, sports, outdoors, travel, wine. Seeks SWM, 40-48, athletic, n/s, sensitive. ☎14458

Petite, cute, professional DWF, 41, 102 lbs, great personality, enjoys cooking, home improvements and adventure. Seeking S/D/WWWM, 40-50. ☎14439

Pisces, 22, 115 lbs, mother of one, enjoys dining out, dancing, music, parties with friends. Seeking SWM, 25-30, kids ok. ☎14459

Pretty, slender Latin DWF, 32, shy, honest, seeking professional, financially secure, honest S/DWM, 30-40, no dependents, for relationship, then marriage and family. ☎14467

Professional DWF, 48, enjoys dancing, fishing and dining out. Seeks S/DWM, 48-55, must have a good job and enjoy fun. ☎14345

Professional, educated, cute, dignified, diverse SW parent, ISO SWM, 39-54, handsome, pilot, affectionate, willing to explore strange new worlds. ☎14533

Professional, attractive DWF, 54, 5'4", 132 lbs, blonde/green, social smoker/drinker. ISO SWM for possible long-term relationship, enjoys varied interests. ☎14537

Professional DWF seeking professional Male, 30-40, for friendship, possible relationship. Must like cuddling, dancing, theatre, music, landscaping, conversation. Positive attitude! ☎14563

Rather dance than walk? Me too! Redhead, 37, 5'7", ISO SWM, 35+, for dancing partner, possibly more. ☎14403

Really nice, 42-year-old DWF, n/s, n/d, hopeless romantic, enjoys kids, church, movies, quiet times, seeks compassionate, understanding WM, 42-50. ☎14359

SBF looking for a dependable SBM, 25-34, that loves children. ☎14443

SBF, 18, 5'6", 110 lbs. Nice, quiet, enjoy sports and music. Seeks cute, talkative SWM, 18-24, slim and attractive. ☎14361

SBF, 18, fun, energetic, childless, sports fan, enjoy darts, football, dining out, movies, theaters. Seeking intelligent Male, tall, compasionate. For dating. ☎14487

SBF, 40s looking for S/DBM for friendship, possibly more. Have a variety of interests. ☎14389

Seeking dark knight. Attractive, plus-sized, sexy, professional SWF, 26. Seeking slim, professional SBM, 25-38, enjoys affection, romance, dancing, etc. ☎14471

Seeking NASCAR fan! Let's go racing. Petite SWF, 26, seeks mature SWM, 25-45, for friendship, possible relationship. ☎14738

Seeking platonic friendship. WF, 19, 5'2", 104 lbs. Seeking Male/Female, 19-26, for hanging out, having good times, movies, camping, bowling. ☎14336

Sensitive Lady. SWF, 48, seeks Gentleman, 44-58, for friendship and possible dating. Enjoys simple things in life. ☎14648

Sensitive, sensible, sensuous DWF, 40-ish, pretty, blonde, fit, seeking attractive, informed DWM, 44-54, with sense of rhythm and musical ear. ☎14595

Sensuous, petite, spirited DWF, blonde, ISO attractive, sexy SM, in uniform or with an accent, under 42, for dating. ☎14332

Sharing dreams, making them happen together. Unpretentious, down-to-earth DWF, 43, full, hourglass figure, smoker. Seeks one-Woman Man who appreciates love and friendship. ☎14682

Sincere SWF, 27, loves the country, wildlife, kids and candlelit dinners at home. ISO SWM, who can make me laugh. ☎14379

SWCF, Attractive parent of two, financially secure, degreed. ISO 40+ SWCM, for caring, long-term relationship. ☎14536

SWF, 32, beautiful inside and out, highly-educated, literati, very high standards, loving, eclectic, enjoys homelife, looking for SWM, 32-37. ☎14352

SWF, 36, full-figured, 5'9", blonde/brown, open to new things, seeking SM, 25-40, over 5'9", race open, to spend time with. ☎14710

SWF, mother, medium build, brunette, workout, n/d, n/drugs. Seeking SWM, 30-39, friendship, honest, likes 70s music, workout, kids. ☎14735

SWM, 25, 5'7, 130 lbs, smoker, occasional drinker, likes movies, travel, cuddling, children. Seeking S/DWF, 19-30, with similar interests. ☎14510

SWM, 40+, financially secure, sought by heavyset SWF, 5'6", long red/blue, enjoys movies, dining out, for companionship. ☎14435

Tired of being alone. WWWF, 50, cute, fun-loving, healthy, honest, n/s, n/d, no kids. ISO same Female/Male, 50-60, for friendship. ☎14591

Very attractive, blonde DWCF, 43, look 30s golfer, dancer and traveler. ISO handsome, secure Male, 40s, 6'2"+, with values. ☎14730

Very intelligent DBF looking for a SM, 40-55, who is sincere and honest, enjoys good conversation and companionship. ☎14347

Vivacious, attractive, well-traveled, versatile, spontaneous, blonde, cute DWF, 40-ish, 5'6", enjoys fine arts. Seeking attractive soulmate, 40-58, 5'9"plus. ☎14702

Wanted: heart-to-heart romance! DWF, 42, full-figured, smoker, honest, sincere, down-to-earth. Seeking tall WM, same qualities, for long-term relationship, love and friendship. ☎14699

Warm, easygoing, caring DWCF, 53, seeking compassionate S/WWWM, sense of humor, to grow with, enjoy being best friends. St Charles. ☎14507

Would you like to make a new friend? DWF, 30, 5'6", seeking M for dining, dancing and romantic evenings. ☎14442

WWF, 40, three children, one grandson, seeking SM, 40-45, must like children, enjoy going out, sport activities and dining. ☎14548

WWWF, 26, with one child, professional, varied interests, seeks S/DWPM, who's a drinker/smoker, with same, friends first possible relationship. ☎14447

WWWF, 26, professional, large build, with 3-year-old son, seeking Gentleman who's honest, sincere, affectionate, caring. Like romance, cuddling, dining, movies, music. ☎14449

Ads from Men

21-year-old SWM, very affectionate and enjoys life. Likes movies, dancing and music, seeks mature slender SWF, 5'-5'10", 18-23. ☎14766

30-year-old SWM, seeking SWF, 25-32, independent, must know what she wants, if this is you, call me. ☎14708

34-year-old Single parent of two. Attractive DWM, very honest, caring, enjoys homelife. Seeking attractive, slender, honest, caring Female. Kids ok. ☎14598

35-year-old Single dad, n/s, n/d, sincere, honest, hardworking, ISO attractive, fun S/DF, 25-45, for relationship. ☎14486

35-year-old, semi-regular Guy, DWM, 5'10", 185 lbs, 2 children, likes outdoors, nice legs. ISO slender, affectionate and down-to-earth SWF. ☎14736

36-year-old, professional SWM, 5'9", 165 lbs, athletic, no children. ISO slender SWF, 26-34, who enjoys dining and movies, for friendship, relationship. ☎14503

38, DWM, secure, stable, independent, physically fit, ISO like Woman, 33-41, who enjoys the simple things in life, conversation, dinner, movies. ☎14672

40-year-old SWM, 5'8", 150 lbs, brown/hazel, romantic, shy, financially secure, looking for the right Lady. ☎14727

44-year-old, professional SWM, financially secure, graduate degreed, handsome, 5'10", 160 lbs, seeking sincere S/DWF, 29-39, slender to medium build. Friendship, dating. ☎14567

47-year-old DWM, 5'9", 185 lbs, caring, committed, enjoys outdoors, travel, romance, ISO humorous, slender WF, for a lasting, loving relationship. ☎14769

53, DWM, 6'3", 200 lbs. ISO slender Lady, who enjoys wine country, live theater, dining, walks and lots of conversation. ☎14612

54-year-old, down-to-earth DWM, easy to be with, good sense of humor, varied interests, smoker. Seeking SWF, 45-60, for best friendship, more. ☎14768

62-year-old WWWM, 6', 215 lbs, honest, smoker, financially secure, down-to-earth, enjoys home life, fishing ISO D/WWWF, 55-65, similar qualities, friendship, relationship. ☎14511

A tall, slender SWM, 37, good sense of humor, sincere, fun-loving, likes dogs, enjoys movies, dancing, outdoor activities, boating, ISO n/s, S/DWF, 26-40, to share the above. Serious inquires only. ☎14752

Active, built, sexy SWCM, 33, blonde/blue, 5'10", 170 lbs, ISO SWCF, 24-32, hour-glass, n/s, beautiful in/out, soulmate, relationship. ☎14701

Adventerous, romantic, attractive, sensitive, realistic SWM, 37, 6', 212 lbs, enjoys outdoors, sports, movies. ISO attractive SWF, 28-36, n/s, for possible relationship. ☎14668

Adventurous and affectionate SWM, 39, 5'11", 185 lbs, degreed. Enjoys outdoors, movies, travel, candlelit dinners. ISO honest, affectionate, slim-medium SF, 21-39. ☎14554

Affectionate WWWCM, 53. Seeks WWWCF, 46-55, for dating, relationship and whatever. I enjoy country/Christian music, bowling and going to Church. ☎14490

Affectionate, caring, emotionally, financially secure SWM, 54, 6'2", 240 lbs, nonsmoker, ISO jeans, sweater SWF, 40-53, height, weight proportionate, with usual interests, plus weekends in the country, motorcycles, motor sports. If this is you, call me. ☎14524

Affectionate teddy bear. DWM, 30, 5'9", blue eyes, romantically energetic, likes hiking, traveling, sports. Seeking short, brunette sweetheart, 25-32, romantic, honest. ☎14732

Affluent, successful businessman, PhD, MBA, recently widowed, 5'5", 130lbs, 41, originally from India. Seeking SWF, slim, under 40, for dating. ☎14706

African king, looking for his Nubian queen. I'm 28, n/d, n/s, honest, caring. Seeking friendship, possible relationship. ☎14559

Athletic DWM, 46, 5'9", 165 lbs, n/s, financially secure. Enjoys outdoors, boating, dining out, antiques, movies. Seeks relationship with DWF, 30-45, intelligent, athletic, honest, attractive, compassionate, sense of humor. ☎14696

Athletic DWCM, 30, 6', 165 lbs, attractive, Catholic, professional, enjoys sports, fitness, travel, adventure. ISO S/DWCF, 25-31 with similar interests. ☎14743

Athletic, spontaneous SWM, 22, 6'1", 180 lbs, looking for open and sincere relationship with a special person. ☎14723

Attention shoppers: One good, caring Man, 50, shopping for good Woman, 37-52, for solid, honest relationship. Togetherness is important. ☎14759

Attentive, handsome, sensual DWPM, 38, 5'8", 160 lbs, well-built, nonsmoker, financially secure, seeking passionate Woman, 45-60, for romantic evenings and companionship. ☎14519

Attractive, funny, athletic SWM, 23, 6', 200 lbs, enjoys dancing, clubs, quiet evenings, ISO SWF, 19-27, for friendship and possibly more. ☎14665

Attractive, attentive DWM, 43, 6'1", secure, professional. Seeking attractive, personable, credible S/DWF, 35-45, to experience and share our interests, joys, potential. ☎14647

Attractive DWM, 41, 6'4", 250 lbs, physically fit, likes golf, boating, sports, and outdoors. ISO nonsmoking, tall Female with similar interests. ☎14525

Attractive, athletic SWM, 38, dark brown/eyes, very muscular, n/s, kind, caring, sensitive, fun. ISO petite, attractive, fit S/DW/HF. ☎14532

Attractive, professional DBF, 30, 5'5", enjoy movies, music (jazz). ISO professional, intelligent, easygoing SBM, 30+, 5'7"+, for friendship, possibly relationship. ☎14553

Attractive DWM, 50s, affectionate, ISO S/DWF, 38-50, who appreciates a Gentleman for friendship, romance, meaningful relationship. Enjoys shows, quiet times. ☎14574

Attractive, caring DWM, 46, looks 35, 5'10", nondrinker, loves dancing, quiet times. Seeking petite, attractive SA/H/WF, 30-40; friendship. More? ☎14576

Attractive SWM, 24, blonde/blue. ISO loving, attractive SWF, 18-25, for friendship or possible relationship. No drinkers or smokers. ☎14589

Attractive SWM, 31, 5'11", 155 lbs. ISO honest, unattached S/DWF, water sign, 27-34. ☎14597

Average SWM. 24, brown/blue, seeks SWF, 19-26, who enjoys dining out and movies. For friendship, possible relationship. ☎14690

Basic nice guy. SWM, young mid-40-ish, 5'11", 165 lbs, fit, good listener, n/s, light drinker, ISO fit WF, 35-45. Illinois. ☎14717

Be my valentine. Let Cupid make us eternally happy. DWM, 58, ISO special Lady for quality time. Are you the one? ☎14684

Be my valentine. Attractive DWM, 34, 5'11", fit, seeking attractive SWF, slim/medium build. Let me treat you like a Lady. ☎14694

Believes in togetherness! DWM, 41, loves life, laughter, romance. Seeking similar S/DWF with high moral values. Children welcomed. ☎14709

Bright, inquisitive, employed SWM, 30, likes hockey, one daughter. Seeking same in petite SWF, 25-35, height/weight proportionate. ☎14700

Caring DWM, 37 attractive, Cancer, loves kids and the outdoors. Seeking slender WF, 25-40, similar interests. ☎14674

Caring DWM, 35, 5'10", 175 lbs, financially secure, affectionate, easygoing, romantic, fit. Enjoys dining and travel. Seeking proportionate S/DWF, 25-36. ☎14739

Caring SWM, 35, sensitive, down-to-earth, college-educated, n/s. Looking for kind, honest WF, 25-41, medium build. Seeking long-term relationship. ☎14579

Caring SWM, 39, loves to travel, ISO considerate, compassionate SF, 30-55. Need not be perfect. Kids ok. ☎14609

DBM, born-again Christian looking for Single, born-again Christian. Love sports, movies, church, music, travel; someone with similar interests. ☎14506

Disabled SWM, 34, 5'8", 185 lbs, seeking understanding SWF, 25-45, should enjoy auto racing, movies and quiet evenings at home. ☎14488

DWM, 26, medium build, seeking a S/DWF, 18-30, petite, with personality, n/s. ☎14534

DWM, 27, 5'11", blonde/green, likes outdoors, dining out, motor sports. Seeking height/weight proportionate S/DWF, long-term relationship; kids ok. ☎14641

DWM, 27, 5'10", 240 lbs, 2 kids, n/s, n/drugs. ISO S/DWF, 22-30 with or without kids, must be employed. ☎14760

DWM, 31, 5'10", 190 lbs, ISO trim and fit SBF for smiles. ☎14586

DWM, 33, 6'2", 196 lbs, enjoys bowling, dancing, pool, camping, country music, fishing. Seeking WF, 30-33, slim, pretty, for relationship. Kids ok. ☎14724

DWM, 35, two kids, professionally employed. Seeking S/DWF, 30-40, who wants dating (movies, dinners, music) and friendship, possible long-term relationship. ☎14688

DWM, 37, 5'7", 160 lbs, average looks, sense of humor. ISO S/DWF, 35-45, who enjoys movies, quiet evenings and romance. ☎14491

DWM, 40s, professional, attractive, fit, n/s, caring, enjoys far-away places, hot tubs, sports, outdoors and gardening. ISO DWF, with similar attributes. ☎14734

DWM, 44, 5'7", 155 lbs, brown/blue, n/s, n/d, enjoys movies, dining. Seeking DWF, 40-45, without small children. ☎14540

DWM, 6'1", 190 lbs, smoker, light drinker, seeking attractive WF, 35-50, dating, fun, relationship. Enjoys sports, dining, dancing. All calls answered. ☎14740

DWM, 51, n/s, social drinker, outgoing, homeowner, enjoys country, cooking, outdoors, boating. ISO DWF, 30-45, with similar interests. ☎14729

Educated, humorous, outgoing SWCM, 50s, active, sports-minded. ISO 45 to 55-year-old, for companionship, possible serious relationship. St Louis. ☎14718

DWM, early 50s, 6', 180 lbs, ISO slender WF, 40-50, for serious relationship. ☎14581

DWM, early 40s, social drinker, likes golf, darts, cozy/quiet evenings. Looking for friends first. Race open. ☎14707

Easygoing male, divorced, Single parent. Seeking petite, attractive S/DWF, 29-36, casual drinker, outgoing, movies, dancing. ☎14628

Easygoing DWM, 33, 5'9", 155 lbs, long blonde hair, blue eyes, ISO petite WF, for romantic evenings, possibly more. ☎14721

Family-oriented, average-looking DWM, 37, 5'7", 170 lbs, father of three, financially stable. Seeking attractive, honest WF, 30-40, slim to medium. ☎14587

Financially independent, sincere SBM, 30, romantic, nice-looking, easygoing, enjoys movies, sports and dining. Seeks SBF, intelligent, trusting, responsible. ☎14608

Fun-loving, athletic DWM, 36, 6', 180 lbs, many interests, business owner. ISO affectionate, humorous, honest S/DWF, 23-39, fun, serious relationship. ☎14661

Fun-loving, honest SWM, 22, likes movies and long drives. Seeks SWF, 18-23, similar interests. All inquiries answered. ☎14495

Fun-loving SBM, 34, 5'11", 160 lbs. ISO SBF, 27-35, who likes bowling, movies, dancing and romantic evenings out. ☎14530

Fun-loving, attractive, slender SM, ISO preferably blonde SF, race open, for fun and dating. ☎14541

Gentleman, 40, wants to meet thin-build Lady, 30-40, for companionship. Prefer deep thinker, with children and friendly personality. ☎14578

Good-looking SWM, 18, 5'11", 200 lbs, educated, caring and loving, seeks compassionate and energetic SF, 18-21. Race unimportant. ☎14666

Handsome DBM, 43, very romantic and warm, old-fashioned values, talented and intelligent. Prefer a n/s Woman. ☎14677

Handsome DWM, professional, 40s, 6'3", 195 lbs, easygoing, degreed, secure. Seeking S/DWF, 36-50, 5'5"+, n/s, pretty, bright, slender, romantic spirit. ☎14588

Handsome SWM, 26, 5'10", medium build, n/s, open-minded, physically fit, loves cycling. Seeking petite, attractive, outgoing, open-minded SWF, 22-30. ☎14687

Handsome SWM, 19, 5'6", 135 lbs, seeking SWF, 18-25, attractive, kindhearted, who enjoys movies and sports. ☎14633

Handsome, 25-year-old Dark Gable. SM, n/s, n/d, ISO very attractive, responsible F. No game players. For friendship, possible relationship. ☎14580

Handsome, humorous, loving SWM, 6', 190 lbs, loves swing dancing, dune buggying, motorcycling, seeking affectionate, petite Lady, 30-45, for relationship. Robertsville. ☎14733

Hard-working, honest, sincere DWM, 50, 145 lbs, brown/brown, clean-cut, ISO WF, 40-50, who likes quiet evenings, movies, occasional nights out. ☎14571

Hardworking construction Worker, 37, 5'8", 175 lbs, seeks SBF, medium build, pretty hands and feet, for friendship, serious relationship. No weave. ☎14630

Honest SWM, mid-50s, likes movies, dinner, seeking SWF, mid-50s, no drinking, must be sincere and drug-free, for friendship first, possibly more. ☎14513

Honest, athletic, caring DWM, 40s, 5'9", 165 lbs, n/s, enjoys dancing, exercising, Harley's, ISO attractive, proportionate, similar S/DWF, 30-45, n/s. ☎14748

Honest, attractive, sensitive, SWM, 28, 6', college graduate, enjoys movies, dancing, quiet evenings, ISO S/DWF 20-29, for friendship, dating. ☎14756

Honest, sincere hardworking BM, 38, 5'6", 160 lbs. Seeking B/W Woman, 20-35, for long-term relationship, possible marriage. Religion open. ☎14498

Horse lover, fun-loving SWM, 57, affectionate, compassionate, enjoys travel, horse racing. Seeking SWF, 40-60, sense of humor, spirited, for friendship, possible romance. ☎14518

Huggable, loveable teddy bear; DWM, 47, one child, affectionate, open, enjoys sci-fi, movies, romance. Seeks loving, full-figured S/DWF for relationship. ☎14761

I enjoy a humble but busy life of golf, gardening, dancing, dating, kids. Medium-build, looks, 42, DWM ISO DWF. ☎14692

Intelligent, sincere SWM, 46, 5'7", looking for caring S/DWF who accepts smoking and sports. ☎14634

Intelligent, outdoors Man, 45, loves animals and country living, ISO monogamous, honest, relationship. Perfect physique not a requirement. ☎14611

ISO born again Christian Lady, Pentecostal face, good personality, humorous, sincere, affectionate. DWM, 43, brown/hazel, mustache, fit, outgoing, versatile, stable. ☎14522

Jeep and denim Guy. Sincere, attractive, fit DWM, 37, ISO honest, slender S/DWF, 30-38, family-oriented, kids a plus. ☎14746

Kind, considerate, helpful, SBM, 39, enjoys movies, cooking, baking. ISO caring, considerate, childless S/DBF, 32-42, same interests. For possible relationship. ☎14560

Kindhearted SBM, 34, 6', 195 lbs, muscular, likes romance, music, kids. Seeks SWF, 30-40, sense of humor, for true friendship, relationship. ☎14523

Lonely, attractive DWM, 50, 5'11", 180 lbs, brown/gray, smoker, honest, loving, sincere. Seeks shapely DWF, 35-50, for romance, TLC relationship. ☎14577

Looking for honesty. Good-looking, 45-year-old steel worker, 6'5", 205 lbs, looking for 40-45-year-old Woman, for friendship, companionship and relationship. ☎14526

Loving, romantic, 53-year-old WM, ISO 44 or younger WF, tender, caring and genuinely loving. Togetherness and laughter is a must. ☎14543

Male, 43, 5'10", 180 lbs, brown/brown, enjoys spontaneous, weekend getaways and romantic dinners. ISO slim WF, 30-40, for friendship, relationship. ☎14703

Marriage-minded DWCM, 41, 5'8", 170 lbs, brown/brown, loves life. Seeking S/DWCF, 30-45, trim, n/s, for long relationship. ☎14538

Mid-50s Male, likes dancing, bingo, dining out, movies. Seeking short and chubby SWF, 48-52, for friendship first. ☎14763

Most people like country western music, dining out, dancing, movies, long walks, so forth. Let's be different. WM, seeks WF, 40-52. ☎14638

New to area, SBM, 34, 5'8". Enjoys movies, dining, long walks. Seeks fun, energetic SF, 23-45. Friendship, possible long-term relationship. ☎14747

No movie star, romantic SM, enjoys jazz, spirituality and spontaneity, ISO sensitive, caring, slender Lady, 35-50, with positive attitude. ☎14745

One nice Guy. Attractive, sensitive DWM, 40, 6'1", 190 lbs. Enjoys candlelit dinners, starlit walks, holding hands, talking, cuddling. Seeking attractive S/DWF, 30-42, for friendship, possible long-term relationship. Kids ok. ☎14572

Outgoing DWM, 6', 190 lbs, attractive, dark brown/brown. Seeking outgoing Lady, likes simple things; relationship. Looks unimportant, personality, honesty is. ☎14618

Outgoing SBM, 38, seeks outgoing, marriage-minded SBF, 30-45, for possible relationship. ☎14551

Outgoing, young, romantic SM, enjoys quiet evenings, park walks, concerts, all music, seeking SWF, 18-30, with/without kids, to travel with. ☎14670

Pick me: House Springs SWM, 38, 6', 175 lbs, nice-looking, caring, romantic, n/s. ISO pretty, slender, sweet SF, under 37, under 5'6". ☎14705

Polite, down-to-earth DWM, 40, 5'8", 147 lbs, brown/hazel, ISO S/DBF, 35-50, height unimportant. Will talk about interests over phone. ☎14767

Professional SWM, 40, 5'6", 150 lbs. Likes golf, sports, homeowner, loves children. Looking for attractive SWF, 32-40, Christian preferred. ☎14547

Professional DWJM, 38, father, 5'10", n/s, height/weight proportional, slightly wacky, sensual. Seeking n/s WF for fun times. ☎14590

Professional, athletic, sincere SWM, 23, 5'5", 130 lbs, seeks SWF, 18-25, with same qualities, to share fun and dating. ☎14764

Professional, financially secure DWM seeks DWF, 40-50, for friendship. Weight must be appropriate to height and must like quiet evenings. ☎14765

Recently retired WM, 60+, n/s, social drinker, ISO WF, to enjoy good times, travel, bridge, museums, nature, quiet times, romance. ☎14643

Renaissance DWM, 40-ish, 5'9", fit, professional, inquisitive. ISO WF, 30-ish, attractive inside/out, to share life's experiences through friendship, possibly more. ☎14754

Romantic WM, 46, 5'7", 175 lbs, easygoing, fun-loving. Seeks slim, attractive F, who enjoys outdoors, walks, talks and laughter. ☎14596

Romantic, loving, affectionate DWM, 34, 5'9", auburn/brown, many interests. ISO mature, feminine SB/WF, 25-48, medium to full-figured, for long-term relationship. ☎14512

SBM looking for a WF who enjoys all types of sports, likes any kind of movie and has a sense of humor. ☎14585

SBM, 25, 5'7", ISO SHF or biracial F, 19-30, for friendship and possibly more. ☎14619

Secure DWM, 57, 5'10", 170 lbs, conservative, shindig-ish, eclectic, introspective. Seeking intelligent, enthusiastic, curious, momogamous, pretty-ish, weight proportionate S/D/WWWF, 45-57. ☎14655

Seeking future Mrs. Professional. Attractive SWM, 44, sense of humor. Seeking S/DWF, under 40, height/weight proportionate. ☎14504

Seeking Ms. Right SBM, 19, 6', 180 lbs, sports fan, sense of humor. ISO SBF. Friendship, then long-term relationship. ☎14771

Sensuous, petite, spirited DWF, blonde, ISO attractive, sexy SM, in uniform or professional, under 45, for dating. ☎14603

Set it off. SBM, musician, loves to sing to a Lady, 25+, for one-on-one. Race unimportant. ☎14516

Shaken, not stirred. SWM enjoys vodka martinis, rock music, James Bond, four-star restaurants. Seeks adventurous Woman with sense of humor. ☎14657

Share my world. College-educated WM, 58, passionate about outdoors, music, writing, creating, intelligent conversation. ISO special one with same for friendship. ☎14489

Sincere SM, 46, 5 1/2', 155 lbs, proportionate, healthy, quiet, simple, mature. Seeking SWF, 40s, with similar qualities, for monogamous relationship. ☎14493

Sincere, hardworking WWWM, 60, 6', 195 lbs, degreed, various interests, seeking S/D/WWWF, for companionship and possible relationship. ☎14712

Single dad, 31, ISO Single mom who's been there, done that. Listen to "Completely" by Michael Bolton. Are you ready? ☎14722

SM, 35, medium-build, no kids, likes camping, fishing and sports, seeking SWF, 25-36, for dating and possible relationship. ☎14660

Smiling, caring, affectionate SWM, 39, n/d, smoker, ISO attractive S/DWF, 30-40, for possible serious relationship. ☎14604

Some Guys have all the luck. Attractive DWM, 44, 6'2", 215 lbs, seeking special Woman, 30-40, slender, petite. Must love children. ☎14515

SOS. Nothing special, just another 37-year-old Man drowning in that big black sea of loneliness. ☎14607

South County homeowner, handsome SWM, young 40, 6'2", 185 lbs, seeks nonsmoking, attractive SWF, under 40, weight proportionate, childless. Friendship, relationship. ☎14550

Stop and read! Intelligent, romantic, attractive, tall SWM, 34, ISO similar, slim S/DWF, 28-36, to share outdoors, biking, scuba, etc. ☎14501

SWCM, 24, 5'6", college-educated, homeowner, athletic build. Seeking attractive, honest woman, 19-33, to share fun times with. ☎14649

SWCM, 32, 5'9", 195 lbs, n/d, blonde/hazel, athletic, financially secure, homeowner, honest, sincere, seeks SWF, 23-32, athletic, witty. ☎14667

SWM, 18, seeking SWF, 18-23, for long nights, great days and lots of fun. ☎14573

SWM, 21, 5'8", 145 lbs, brown/hazel, ISO a romantic Female, 18-23, for relationship. ☎14640

SWM, 26, 5'10", 190 lbs, sensual, Italian/Spanish, enjoys exercise, sports, movies, dinner, dancing. Seeks SBF, 18-28, ISO honest, loving, long-term relationship. ☎14617

SWM, 27, 5'7" long brown/blue, average build, n/s, enjoys mortorcycles, music, outdoors, ISO attractive, affectionate, outgoing Woman. ☎14520

SWM, 28, 5'9", brown/blue, n/s, medical student, enjoys photography and walks in the park. ISO SF, 23-30, n/s. ☎14749

SWM, 39, 6'1", dark/hazel, 170 lbs, seeking Female, to share music, (the blues), dancing, outdoors, conversation. Must love animals. ☎14509

SWM, 49, 5'10", affectionate, caring, honest, sensitive Gentleman ISO attractive, slender S/DF, any race, 30-45, n/s, for monogamous, long-term relationship. ☎14711

SWM, 49, 5'8", 140 lbs, traveled, sensitive. Desires intelligent, attractive F who's into art, travel, for an endearing, enduring romance. ☎14726

Tall, handsome SWM, 38, brown hair/eyes, n/s, n/d, seeks pretty S/DWF, 21-38, n/s, for friendship and dating. ☎14693

Very attractive SBM, 6', very creative and interesting! Seeking a good-looking, fit WF for growth with this mid-life gem. ☎14592

Very attractive DWM, 40, 5'10", 165 lbs, well-built. Seeking attractive, well-built SF, 30-40, must have good morals. No drugs. ☎14616

Very easygoing SBM, 50, 6'2", 180 lbs; ISO mature, sincere Single Lady who likes the outdoors. ☎14496

Very sensitive SM, 54, seeks Female, any race, who likes Sunday brunch, conversation, others, for friendship. ☎14664

Wanted: One goodhearted Woman! Me: 48, young, 5'7", brown hair, brown eyes. You: 35-45-ish, openhearted, caring, cute and outdoorsy. ☎14681

Would like to meet nice, Asian Lady, 35-55. White Gentleman, 5'8", 170 lbs, some college, n/s, n/drugs; seeking friendship. ☎14689

WWWM, 50, slender, professional, stable, affectionate, hardworking, athletic, n/s, n/d. Likes dancing, sports, concerts. ISO attractive, slender, affectionate SF. ☎14673

Young-at-heart DWM, young 52, 5'9", 175 lbs, above-average appearance. Seeking attractive, affectionate S/DWF, n/s, 5'4"+, with sense of humor. ☎14565

Singles Over 50

Are you an educated SWM, 60+, retired or semi-retired? Then please contact this attractive, 50+, SWF, 5'3", for companionship/going out. ☎14444

Be my valentine. Active, fit DWM, early 60s, 5'10", 190 lbs, likes bicycling, theater, dancing. Seeks caring, affectionate WF, 50-55, proportionate, n/s. ☎14663

Cheerful DWF, seeks a nice WM, 55+, enjoys homelife, quiet evenings and movies, for permanent relationship. ☎14474

Country Girl, affectionate redhead, 50s, height/weight proportionate. Seeking country Guy, 50+, n/s, n/d, for serious, monogamous relationship. ☎14417

Financially secure, retired WM, 65+, 5'7", 155 lbs, likes outdoors, gardening, TV, cards, fishing. ISO SWF, 55-65, slim to medium; relationship. ☎14755

Good homelife, good sense of humor, WWWM, 73, seeking relationship with Lady not afraid to go out and have fun. ☎14662

Honest, affectionate, retired DWF, likes fishing, loves the country, cooking, walks, togetherness, simple life. ISO SWM, for companionship with same interests. ☎14676

Petite WWWF, 68+, active, likes most everything. Seeking well-groomed, slim SWM, 68-73 or under. Six Flags area. ☎14337

Seeking kind Lady for dancing, shows, dining, more. Should be 55-65 years old. Sought by Widowed White Gentleman, 66. Possible relationship. ☎14614

SHM, 63, 5'6", stocky build, n/s, n/d, seeking SF, 50-60, for companionship. Must be personable, with good sense of humor. ☎14695

World traveler, pretty, 50s, healthy, happy, open. Financially, physically and emotionally secure. Seeking DWCM, n/s, healthy, clean-shaven, for friendship, possible marriage. ☎14450

IN THE Spirit
Matching Spiritual Beliefs

Seeking lonely Gentleman, 55-60, for Christian bible-reading and companionship. SAF, 57, 5'2", 146 lbs, independent. ☎14391

WWWCF, 63, no drugs or drinking. Enjoys church, fishing, music. Seeking WCM, 60-65, for friendship. Must have sense of humor. ☎14363

Customer Service

If you have a question about our service, please call us toll free at 1-800-442-1289 and we will be happy to help you.

Abbreviations

M • Male	C • Christian	n/d • nondrinker
F • Female	S • Single	n/s • nonsmoker
D • Divorced	W • White	ISO • In Search of
H • Hispanic	B • Black	
J • Jewish	WW • Widowed	

#142-1/29/97

Meet Your Match advertisements and voice messages may be submitted only by persons 18 years of age or older. Suburban Journal does not investigate or accept responsibility for claims made in any advertisement. The screening of respondents is solely the responsibility of the advertiser. Suburban Journal assumes no liability for the content of, or reply to, any Meet Your Match advertisement or voice message. Some advertisers may not yet have a voice introduction. All ads will appear on the Internet at http://personalspage.com/personals/subjournal. The Advertiser assumes complete liability for the content of, and all replies to, his/her Meet Your Match advertisement and voice messages and for any and all resulting claims against Suburban Journal that arise from the same. Further, the advertiser agrees to indemnify and hold the Suburban Journal harmless from all costs, expenses (including reasonable attorneys' fees), liabilities and damages resulting from or caused by the Meet Your Match advertisement and voice messages placed by the advertisers, or any reply to Suburban Journal advertisement and voice messages. **Warning: we recommend that you do not use cellular or cordless phones with this service.**

320 HELP WANTED

Retail

ARE YOU...
FRIENDLY? PUBLIC ORIENTED? OVER 18? READY FOR A GREAT CAREER?
JOIN OUR EXTRAORDINARY TEAM!
Full, Part Time & Management Available For A Location In Swansea.
Retail experience not required - WILL TRAIN.
ADVANCEMENT OPPORTUNITIES!
CALL (314)731-7568
DISCOUNT SMOKE SHOP

Sales

CLOSERS NEEDED!!
World's largest off-site interval sales is looking for Closers. We're expanding and have immediate openings! Relocation available for the right candidate. Top closers $100+! 401K/health/dental. Call Mr. Jackson at 314/918-0600. EOE.

Check out the classifieds. You'll find lots of bargains!

320 HELP WANTED

Sales

DEBIT INSURANCE SALES
AVERAGE EARNINGS $25,000
Career opportunity for self-starting individual in metro St. Louis area with one of country's largest home service companies. Level pay during training. Excellent company benefits. Call Monday-Friday, 9am-12noon, 314-892-3700, Mr. Compton, United Insurance.
equal opportunity employer

SECRETARY/SALES DEPT: Quotations on WP, detail oriented, minimum 3 years experience. 10 key, basic office duties. Worker not primadonna. Advancement and benefits. Jefferson/Chouteau area. Resume: Secretary, 1917 Rutger Street, St. Louis, MO 63104.

SOCIAL SERVICE DESIGNER
Rosewood Care Center of Edwardsville is accepting applications for Social Service Designer position. Knowledge of IDPH regulations, admission and discharge process. Apply in person at:
Rosewood Care Center
6277 Center Grove Rd.
Edwardsville, IL

320 HELP WANTED

SECURITY GUARDS
Interviewing for immediate position openings as Security Guards on **Wednesday, January 29, 9am-1pm** at the Temple Baptist Church, 714 McCambridge Avenue, Madison, Illinois. **Armed licenses accepted.** Will reimburse for license transfers and range fees. Must be over 21. No felony convictions. No experience required. Full and part time positions. Evening and night shifts available. Retirees welcome.
Equal Opportunity Employer

SERVICE TECHNICIAN
Accepting applications for full or part time **Gas Engine Technicians.**
Top benefits. Pay based on experience. Apply in person, Tuesday through Friday:
SEARS, 1800 Bowles Avenue, Fenton, MO.

320 HELP WANTED

THE PRUDENTIAL is offering an excellent career opportunity to a salesperson in the Metro East area. Training allowance up to $500 a week. Experience not necessary! We will train. Full benefits. Call Eric Cash at 618-233-2026. E/O/E.

TRANSIT OPERATION
seeking qualified applicants. Knowledge of Madison County/Metro Area. CDL Passenger endorsement a plus. Call 797-6070 for details.

TRUCK DRIVER-With CDL Class A License, Local Pick-Up & Delivery For A Trailer Repair Shop. (314)382-1153.

TRUCK MECHANIC/FLEET MAINTENANCE MECHANIC, SMALL LOCAL TRUCKING CO. HAS POSITION OPEN FOR MECHANIC WITH 1-2 YEARS EXPERIENCE IN TRAILER AND TRUCK MAINTENANCE HAVE OWN TOOLS AND TRANSPORTATION. PHONE 1-314-385-1727 ext. 135

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS
Now Hiring Game Wardens, Security, Maintenance, Park Rangers. No Exp. necessary. For application and info call 800-299-2470, ext IL274C, 7am to 8 pm, 7 days.

320 HELP WANTED

USED CAR SALESMAN PART-TIME, Would like someone with other income. No experience necessary, for Belleville & Granite City. Call Stan 451-0400 or 451-7500.

★ ★ ★ ★
WELDERS
Experienced In ASME Code Work.
Apply In Person:
CONTINENTAL FABRICATORS, INC.
5601 West Park Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63110
eoe
★ ★ ★ ★

Welders

★ ★ ★ ★
SUB-ARC WELDERS
Experienced In ASME Code Work.
Apply In Person:
CONTINENTAL FABRICATORS, INC.
5601 West Park Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63110
eoe
★ ★ ★ ★

HOTEL/HOSPITALITY

Hotel

ST. LOUIS MARRIOTT WEST
Has the following positions open:
- ★ *Housekeepers*
- ★ *Pool Attendant*
- ★ *PM Lobby Attendant*
- ★ *Front Desk Agent*
- ★ *Night Auditor*
- ★ *Class II Engineer*
- ★ *PM Banquet Housepersons*
- ★ *On Call Banquet Servers*
- ★ *PM/AM Rest Servers*
- ★ *PT Bartender*
- ★ *PT Restaurant Supervisor*
- ★ *PT AM Host/Hostess*
- ★ *AM Cashier*
- ★ *PT Busser*

Subsidized public transportation available. Apply in person, Mon-Thurs, 9am-4pm at Human Resources Dept.
560 Maryville Centre Dr.
St. Louis, MO 63141
314-878-2747
EOE M/F/D/V

Housekeeping

J C PENNEY CHESTERFIELD MALL NOW HIRING for HOUSEKEEPER POSITION
We offer:
- Flexible Hours
- Excellent Benefits To Those Who Qualify
- Merchandise Discounts
- Competitive Wages

Apply in person
150 Chesterfield Mall
Chesterfield, MO 63017
EOE M/F/D/V

HAMPTON INN WESTPORT
is seeking Part time Front Desk Clerk, Part time Breakfast Host/Hostess and Full Time Room Attendants. Competitive wages, incentive plan for all positions and full benefit package for full time positions. Please inquire 24 hours a day at:
HAMPTON INN WESTPORT
2454 Old Dorsett
Maryland Heights, MO
EOE

Journal Classifieds for Fast Results

EMBASSY SUITES ST. LOUIS AIRPORT
(Lindbergh & I-70)
JOIN OUR TEAM OF HIGHLY ENERGETIC INDIVIDUALS!!!
Opportunities available in:
- ★ Housekeeping
- ★ Guest Services

We offer competitive wages, benefits and the opportunity for advancement. Apply in person.
Equal Opportunity Employer M/F/D/V

Hotel

SUITE ATTENDANTS
Summerfield Suites Hotel has openings for Suite Attendants with pleasant, fun loving personalities that take pride and initiative in their work. Competitive salaries great benefits with bonuses.
Call
Miss Norma Beacham,
314-878-1555

Hotel

BUDGETEL INN
Now hiring Part time Night Auditor. Competitive wages, uniforms provided and benefit package available. Apply in person.
BUDGETEL INN
12330 Dorsett Rd.
Maryland Heights, MO
EOE

HOTEL OPPORTUNITIES
EXTENDED STAY AMERICA
11827 Lackland Rd.
WestPort, MO 63044
Rapidly growing hotel chain seeks high energy, enthusiastic, team driven personnel.
- ***Maintenance - FT/PT***
- ***Housekeepers - PT***

Competitive compensation package. Apply in person.
DRUG TESTED - EOE

Hotel

BEST WESTERN KIRKWOOD
Come join our team in Kirkwood! We are currently accepting applications for the following FT/PT positions:
BELLPERSON/MAINTENANCE HOUSEKEEPERS
Upbeat, friendly work environment, competitive wages and central location. Apply in person:
BESTWESTERN KIRKWOOD INN
1200 S. Kirkwood Rd.
I-44 & Lindbergh Blvd.

ROOM ATTENDANTS
THE HAMPTON INN ST. CHARLES is actively seeking people who take pride in their work & have great attention to detail for positions in Housekeeping. No experience necessary, excellent on-the-job training is provided. Excellent benefits provided after 3 months. If you feel you fit the bill, please apply in person
3729 WEST CLAY
St. Charles, MO
Equal Opportunity Employer



★ DRIVERS ★
ROAD or CITY INTERMODAL WORK
Apply in person
7301 Hall Street
St. Louis, MO 63147
MON-FRI, 8am to 4pm
- Top Commissions/mileage paid
- Guaranteed minimum daily pay first 90 days
- Pd. premium health insur.
- Paid holidays & vacations
- Uniforms provided
- 401K retirement program
- Weekend work bonuses
- Weekend work bonuses
- No freight handling
- Day & afternoon shifts

Require CDL Class A License, 1 year tractor/trailer experience, acceptable MVR.

COURIERS
ACCESS COURIER, INC.
- Up to $800 per week
- Immediate openings
- On-call & scheduled routes
- Uniformed couriers
- Radio dispatched
- 250 couriers strong
- Pd training/vacations/401K

The largest & most aggressive local delivery service is seeking Couriers. Must have 4 cylinder car, truck or van. Call Rick Mon-Fri or apply in person noon-3pm.
1246 Hanley Industrial Ct.
Brentwood, MO
962-2570

Drivers

★ ★ NOW HIRING ★ ★
Immediate openings for
CASINO SHUTTLE and CHARTER DRIVERS
Full and part time available, all 3 shifts needed. Must have at least **CDL Class C with P endorsement**, DOT qualified, clean and neat appearance, reliable transportation, clean driving record. We offer competitive wages, full time benefits, holiday and vacation pay. Apply in person at
5615 N. Lindbergh - Bridgeton, MO

HELP WANTED ADS WORK
★★★★★★★

GULLY TRANSPORTATION
is looking for experienced OTR semi-drivers to join our team.
- ★ Starting pay .25¢ to .29¢ plus bonus
- ★ Home most weekends
- ★ Excellent benefits package

Call Gully at
1-800-566-8960
for more information

TRUCK DRIVERS
CAREER OPPORTUNITY
EMERSON ELECTRIC CO. TRANSPORTATION (Fortune 100 Company) is seeking **OVER-THE-ROAD** Team Operation **DRIVERS** to be based in St. Louis, Missouri
WE OFFER:
- HOME EVERY WEEK
- COMPETITIVE SALARY (ANNUAL SALARY $32,000-$46,000)
- HEALTH & DENTAL BENEFITS
- COMPANY PAID PENSION
- 401K
- 11 PAID HOLIDAYS (PAID AT DAILY AVG. EARNINGS)
- PAID VACATION (PAID AT DAILY AVG. EARNINGS)
- HIGH MILEAGE
- HIGHER PAID MILES
- SHORT & LONG TERM SICK PAY
- LIFE INSURANCE
- LATE MODEL CONVENTIONALS

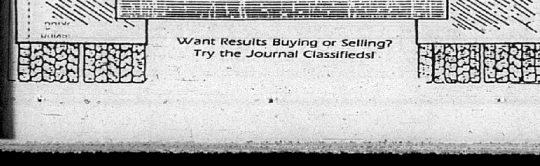
APPLICANTS MUST:
- HAVE CLASS A CDL WITH HAZMAT
- HAVE GOOD SAFETY RECORD
- PASS ALL DOT REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING DRUG SCREENING
- BE 22 years of age

Interested candidates should call
385-2100, Ext. 317, 310 or 311 for application
EOE

MIDWEST O.T.R.
TOP PAY AND BENEFITS
- ★ No East Coast
- ★ Mileage or percentage avail.
- ★ 25-30¢/mile or 22-25% of gross
- ★ Assigned Trucks
- ★ Home Weekends
- ★ Insurance
- ★ Bonus Programs
- ★ Paid Vacation
- ★ Passenger Program
- ★ Paid Orientation
- ★ Sign-on bonus
- ★ Satellite Dispatch
- ★ Owner Operators Wanted
- ★ Training Available for inexperienced drivers

OUR DRIVERS MAKE THE DIFFERENCE!
HIGHWAY CARRIER
1067 Kenran Industrial Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63137
CALL WAYNE 1-800-777-7167

TO PLACE YOUR AD IN THIS SECTION CALL 314-821-1555



330 MEDICAL & HEALTH CARE

BILLING CLERKS
Physical therapy billing office has full time evening openings for Billing Clerks. Requirementst include:
- Communication skills
- Detail oriented
- Team player
- 1-yr min medical billing experience
- Pass credit check

Excellent benefit package includes 401k and stock option benefit plan. Send resume with salary requirements to: Healthsouth RBO, Attn: Biller Position, 10936 Manchester Rd., Kirkwood MO 63122.

COLONNADES NURSING HOME
Is Accepting Applications For Full Time RN
Apply In Person
3500 Century Dr.
Granite City

We are a long term care facility hiring CNA's to assist our residents with their daily needs. We have super benefits with annual raises. Apply in person at
FREEBURG CARE CENTER
746 Urbanna Drive
Freeburg, IL
M/F 8-4

BILLING SUPERVISOR EVENING SHIFT
Do you embrace change? Physical therapy regional business office is seeking an experienced supervisor who can motivate, train and manage growth in a large department. Evening hours, Mon.-Fri. Success oriented applicants must meet the following requirements:
- Min. of 3 yrs. supervisory exp. of large (20+ employee) staff
- Strong knowledge of managed care billing & reimbursement
- Hands on electronic billing exp.
- Exc. interpersonal and organizational skills
- Strong leadership
- Some college preferred

Excellent benefits package includes 401k and stock option benefits. Apply in person or send resume with salary requirements to: Healthsouth RBO, Attn: Evening Supervisor, 10936 Manchester Rd., Kirkwood MO 63122.

BILLING TEAM LEADER
Physical therapy billing office is seeking an experienced Medical Biller to be team leader for our growing evening shift. Strong knowledge of managed care and work comp medical billing plus the following qualifications are required.
- Strong desire to succeed
- Min 1 yr supervisory exp
- Exc. communication skills
- Strong leadership ability
- Some college preferred
- Pass credit check

Excellent benefit package includes 401k and stock option benefit. Apply in person or send resume with salary requirements to: Healthsouth RBO, Attn: TL Position, 10936 Manchester Rd., Kirkwood MO 63122.

MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTIONIST
Full time for internal medicine office. Must have experience. Good benefits. Send resume to:
Transcriptionist
4652 Maryland Ave.
St. Louis, MO 63108

COLONNADES NURSING HOME
Is accepting applications for Certified Nurses Aide. Above average starting wage with scheduled increases. Paid insurance and paid vacation.
Apply In Person
3500 Century Drive
Granite City

Turn your unwanted items into cash try a Journal Classified

330 MEDICAL & HEALTH CARE

$$ NEW PAY RATES $$
CNA's
Now is the time to join the BJC Health System in long term care. We offer great benefits, excellent opportunity for advancement, and beautiful work environments. For more information, call our hotline number at 653-5760.
Also hiring:
RNs, part time
LPNs, part & full time
FOOD SERVICE WORKERS, part time
For consideration, please apply at:
Village North Inc.
11160 Village North Drive
St. Louis, MO 63136
BJC HEALTH SYSTEM
eoe m/f/d/v

PATIENT ACCOUNT REP
Physical therapy billing office has openings for Patient account reps who meet the following requirements:
- Exc. communications
- Detail oriented
- Team player
- Min. 1 yr medical collection experience

Excellent salary and benefit package includes 401k and stock option benefits. Apply in person or send resume with cover letter & salary requirements to: Healthsouth RBO, Attn: PAR Position, 10936 Manchester Rd., Kirkwood MO 63122.

350 EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

ALASKA JOBS!
Earn up to $30,000 in three months fishing salmon. Also construction, canneries, oil fields. Guaranteed.
1(504)641-7778
Ext. 3762K3

ASSEMBLE ARTS, crafts, toys from home. Great pay. 1(800)377-7607

★ GOV'T - POSTAL JOBS ★
Now Hiring, Start $16.74 Hr. For Appl. & Info. Call Between 1-26-97 & 2-01-97 1-(818)-506-5354 Ext. 8259

$1000's POSSIBLE READING Books. Part Time. At Home. Toll Free (1) 800-218-9000 ext. R-6401 For Listings.

$1000's POSSIBLE TYPING. Part Time. At Home. Toll free (1) 800-218-9000 ext. T-6401 For Listings.

$200-$500 Weekly. Assemble products at home. Easy! No selling. You're paid direct. No exp. necessary. Call 1-504-781-2700 ext 100. 8am-10pm, Mon-Fri, 10am-5pm Sat-Sun.

WILDLIFE/CONSERVATION JOBS
Game wardens, security, maintenance, etc. No exp. necessary. Now Hiring. For Info Call (219) 794 0010 ext. 7444, 8am.-10pm. 7 days.

360 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

ATTENTION GAMBLERS
Learn the secrets the casinos refuse to reveal. Call now. 1-800-844-9639, ext. 0065.

Good First Time Mortage On Real Estate, 12% Interest $17,500. Not Institutional Paper, Private Individual Needed. 815-664-2808.

LOCAL VENDING route for sale. Be your own boss. Big Cash weekly. Call Now. 800-350-8363

"LOSE WEIGHT AND KEEP IT OFF THE EASY NATURAL WAY. FREE DETAILS! WIG-FALL,PO BOX 372336 Decatur Ga 30037

SALES/Financial Services, no exp. necessary, will train, full/part-time. 1-800-365-7550 ext.80104

WANTED: 36 People Serious about permanent weight loss! We Pay You $$$ for pounds lost. Call 800-656-8894.

TELECOMMUNICATION SALES

GBS COMMUNICATIONS
A dynamic leader in this fast paced business telecommunications industry is seeking a highly motivated sales individual.
We offer...
- Salary
- New Sales Commissions
- Add on Commissions
- Leasing Commissions
- Activity Bonuses
- 401K
- Vacation
- Exciting & Challenging

If you think you are competitive, drives to succeed / would like a truly rewarding career challenge, change into one of the highest growing industries.
CALL MONDAY MORNING BETWEEN 8 AM & 12 NOON
314-961-3287 EXT. 3800

360 BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

DO YOU SUFFER FROM PSORIASIS OR ANY SKIN DISORDER
NEW REVOLUTIONARY TREATMENT AVAILABLE IN SPRAY AND SHAMPOO
SEE RESULTS 10 DAYS OR LESS
CALL US NOW TOLL FREE
1-888-295-4545

370 JOBS WANTED

JOB WANTED: To Take Care Of Elderly Person By Hour, Live In & Have Ref. 876-5837 Or 377-7706.

380 CHILD CARE

CHILD CARE NEEDED in my home evenings & when ever needed. CALL 451-6064.

DEPENDABLE BABYSITTING In My Home, Monday-Friday, Non Smoker, References 876-6512.

HOME DAY CARE OPENING, MARYVILLE SCHOOL DIST. INDIVIDUAL ATTENTION & LEARNING ACTIVITIES 797-2907.

LEARNING, LOVING DAYCARE Has 2 Openings, Worthren School Dist. 931-5254.

RELIABLE CHRISTIAN MOTHER Will Do Child Care In My Home. Clean & Safe Environment With TLC, References Available. Please Ask For Malissa 797-2768.

WILL BABYSIT IN MY HOME EVENINGS 452-9731.

Will Do Babysitting In My Home, evenings & weekends. Reasonable rates & experience. References availble. Certified with ADD. Call Joyce at 797-0927.

430 PERSONALS

ADOPTION
AND BABY MAKES THREE...Wish to share our life w/newborn. loving home, family, opportunity, security. We admire your courage and respect your decision.
Robin/Michael
1-800-269-3290.

ADOPTION IS A LOVING CHOICE!
We'll devote ourselves to your precious baby. We're teachers with lots of time, love, family & friends, who want to share our happiness.
KAREN/LARRY
expenses pd.
1-800-472-5724.

UNCONTESTED DIVORCE $495
Includes all filing fees & costs.
LAW OFFICE OF
Randall P. Steele
288-9591 • 876-4334
BANKRUPTCY • ESTATES
INJURIES • TRAFFIC

440 LOST & FOUND

FOUND very young puppy, call to identify. WEE WITTLE WOOFIES 877-7305.

LOST Black Schnauzer Waring A Black & Red Plaid Sweater, Vicinity Of Northland & Maryville. Answers To Benji, 797-6427.

LOST IRISH SETTER IN WEST GRANITE AREA, NEEDS MEDICATION 451-9354.

LOST White Female Pekingese, Pontoon Beach Area. CALL 931-4310.

REWARD! lost since 10/9/96 rainy night. Small male BEAGLE answers to Sparly, sorely missed please call 931-4403.

490 CEMETERY LOTS

4 Burial Lots, Lakeview Memorial Gardens, By Owner 931-2475.

CEMETERY LOTS FOR SALE -CALL AT 618-877-8403.

741 ACCOUNTING/TAX

Price Guaranteed Less Than Chains
Individual and Business Tax Returns
Electronic Filing
Buenger-Doyle Tax Service
2235 Pontoon Rd.
797-0852
DROP OFF OR BY APPOINTMENT

800 APPLIANCE REPAIR

REFRIGERATORS, FREEZERS, FURNACES, DRYERS, RANGES REPAIRED. CALL ARC 452-2306.

825 BUSINESS SERVICES

POSTAGE METER REPAIR
Knowledgeable In Postage Meter Heads. Any Kinds of Repair Available. All Makes and Models. Pickup and Delivery. Reasonable Rates. Confidential Service. Scott's Postage Meter Repair. 314-582-7093

860 CARPET INSTALL. /CLEANING

AUTOSTEAM CARPET &
Upholstery Cleaning
Bathrooms & Hallways FREE!
$15 per room
3 Room Minimum
346-0780

Journal Classifieds for Fast Results

865 CARPET SALES

WAREHOUSE JAM PACKED!
QUICK LIQUIDATION!
Berbers, Plushes & Much, Much More!
$10.99 sq. yard
NOW $3.99 sq. yd.
HOTLES • PUBLIC CONTRACTORS
Carpet Mart
1901 S. Illinois
Belleville • 234-6900

900 CLEANING/ DOMESTIC

HIRE-A-HELPER
15 YRS. EXPERIENCE CLEANING. ERRANDS RUN
JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY
797•6351

WORKING MOTHERS. NEED A HELPING HAND! Home Cleaning, Free Estimates, References, 12 Years Experience. CALL MARY 451-9887.

DOMESTIC CLEANING. Hourly Rates. 15 Yrs. Experience. 931-7570.

Need Your House Or Office Cleaned? Mother And Daughter Team. Call 797-6855.

1040 EXCAVATING

SEIBER'S HAULING & EXCAVATING. Rock, dirt, sand, snow removal, backhoe & cat work. 345-3761.

1185 HANDY MAN

CARPENTRY, PAINTING, DRY WALL, FLOOR REPAIR, FURNACE CLEANING, PLUMBING, REASONABLE RATES, QUALITY WORK, 451-2703.

1185 HANDY MAN

Rob's Construction And Home Improvement
Sewer and Drain Cleaning
452-5009

General Carpentry & Repairs
Since 1957
• Windows • Doors
• Decks • Porches
Call Floyd Anytime
931-5809

CARPENTRY, PAINTING, DRY WALL, FLOOR REPAIR, FURNACE CLEANING, PLUMBING, REASONABLE RATES, QUALITY WORK, 451-2703.

MR.FIX-IT: COMPLETE HOME REPAIR & REPLACEMENTS. 876-4851 ANYTIME.

1200 HAULING

SEIBER'S HAULING & EXCAVATING. Rock, dirt, sand, snow removal, backhoe & cat work. 345-3761.

DIRT, TOP SOIL, DRIVEWAY ROCK, SLAG, SAND MULCH
Yard Grading, Driveway Grading, Seeding & Roto Tilling, Bush Hogging
Insured
797-1480 or 931-5706

A FAMILY MAN NEEDS WORK. LIGHT HAULING, GARAGES, BASEMENTS CLEANED OUT, AND GARAGES AND SHEDS REMOVED. TRASH ALSO REMOVED. FREE ESTIMATES. 876-6417.

HAULING, PAINTING, odd jobs. Sr.Citizen discount. Vietnam vet. 344-5510.

1220 HEATING/AIR CONDITIONING

GREAT MIDWESTERN CONTRACTORS NEW FURNACES, FREE ESTIMATES, SERVICE CALLS $25.00 CALL SAM 451-1636.

Limited Time Offer
Romex 12-2G
250 ft. box
$29^95
Precision Supply
Lighting & Electrical
656-6413 201 W. High St. M-F 7-5 Sat 8-1
EDWARDSVILLE, IL
On 2nd St. One Block West of Courthouse - Next to Kitchenland
377-6413 502 E. Bethalto Dr. M-F 7-7 Sat 8-5
BETHALTO, IL

1750 APPLIANCES

1750 APPLIANCES

Used Appliances
LARGE SELECTION
LOW PRICES
ENCORE Recycled Appliances
MONEY BACK GUARANTEE
ST. LOUIS
8925 Natural Bridge Rd.
423-7007
7899 Watson Rd.
963-3100
ST. CHARLES
2456 West Clay St.
(St. Charles Plaza)
946-4100
GRANITE CITY
1371 Niedringhaus Ave.
451-8800
REFRIGERATORS RANGES WASHERS DRYERS

MOST MODERN
1 & 2 BEDROOM APARTMENTS and 2 BEDROOM, 1½ BATH TOWNHOUSE
VILLAGE LANE APARTMENTS
Entrance 2600 Pontoon Rd.
Manager 3929 Village Lane, Apt. C **931-5356**
PONTOON PLAZA APARTMENTS
•2 Bedrooms •Living Room With Dining Area •Complete GE Kitchen •Gas Heat And Central Air Conditioning •Full Basement •Wall To Wall Carpeting •Ceramic Tile Bath
FOR INFORMATION & APPLICATION FOR LEASE **Call 931-1530**
APARTMENT MANAGER IN APT. #69
BOTH APARTMENT COMPLEXES HAVE POOLS!

2440 MOBILE/MFR'D HOMES FOR SALE

2440 MOBILE/MFR'D HOMES FOR SALE

$ $ $ WOOD CABINETS $ $ $ 6' WALLS $ $ $
L&M Manufactured Housing
I-270 at IL Rt 3 • 3312 W. Chain of Rocks Rd. • Granite City, IL
1 YR. FREE Lot Rent At Selected Parks or FREE Concrete Piers on Private Property!
'96 MODELS CLEARANCE!

28x60 3 BR	$43,900	28x60 3 BR	$44,900
28x60 3 BR w/porch	$43,900	16x80 3 BR	$26,900-$29,900
28x70 4 BR	$48,900	16'S AS LOW AS	$20,900
28x52 3 BR	$37,900	28x80 1997 MODELS	$49,900

SPECIAL ORDERS NO EXTRA CHARGE
100 MILE FREE DELIVERY
FREE GAS/ELECT. HOOK UPS
CHAMPION HOMES *"Exclusive Dealer"*
USED AND REPOS AVAILABLE
(618) 931-2974 or (618) 931-3176 **1-800-576-8667**
$ $ $ R30/19/22 INSULATION $ $ $ GLAMOR BATHS $ $ $

17434. PRICE REDUCED! Brick ranch has 3 bdrms, 2 baths, attached heated garage, .75 acre corner lot with mature trees. Ask for Dottye.

17976. NEW HOME on corner lot. Large kitchen, vinyl tilt windows, ceiling fans, cedar porch. Must see. Askf or Dottye.

17405. THIS CHARMING country home sits atop a hill on 1.5 acres. Has 5 bdrms., sitting room off eat-in kitchen. 1st floor laundry, attached garge. Priced to sell. Ask for Sue W.

17521. HUNTING EXCELLENT on 61 acres. Half wooded, half tillable. Call 1-800-901-9888 for details. Ask for Wil.

17530. FIVE ACRE WOODED TRACTS suitable for mobile homes. Will consider contract for deed with small down payment. Ask for Wil.

HOLZINGER REAL ESTATE AGENCY INC.
CALL
Highland, IL
654-9888
1-800-901-9888

STOP
In At Woodland Trails Big Beautiful New Sales Display Lot!
LOOK
at over 35 georgous new homes for your inspection...
Singles, Doubles, Modular
LISTEN
to the unbelievable low prices on our new Dutch and Schult homes. All homes have shingle roofs, vinyl siding
Price includes set-up, skirting, steps & air conditioning.
SEE
THE NEW DUTCH "IMPERIAL" Drywall flat ceiling home with standard luxury appliance package.
WE WILL MEET OR BEAT ANY COMPETITORS WRITTEN OFFER ON A COMPARABLE HOME
TALK
to one of our home specialist today & get your deal.
Woodland Trails Homes L.P.
912 N. Bluff Rd.
Collinsville, IL 62234
PHONE 618-344-8300
or 1-800-344-8303
WOODLAND TRAILS

WE'RE GETTING YOUR NEW HOME READY!
COME SEE US AT 3 GREAT LOCATIONS.
9 NEW HOMES TO CHOOSE FROM AT:
• TIMBERLAKE •
• CHOUTEAU TRACE •
and
• MITCHELL LAKE •
SUBDIVISIONS
**** Low Monthly Payments***
**** Low, Low Down Payments***
**** FHA & VA Approved***
**** 10 Year Building Warranty***
HOMES FROM $80,000 - $150,000 TO CHOOSE FROM • AFFORDABLE QUALITY BUILDING FROM M.L.D.C.
(618) 338-0681
or
(314) 625-1198

STAR REALTORS

1501 Garfield Ave.
Granite City, IL
Corner of Nameoki Rd. & Garfield

You Deserve The Best!

876-0024

STAR REALTORS SETS SALES RECORD!
48 PROPERTIES CLOSED IN DECEMBER 1996!

DOWN PAYMENT	DESCRIPTION
$1,450.	New listing - Great park location, 2 bedroom, living, dining, family room and kitchen. Only $46,900. S1398.
$5,375.	Beautiful new construction. Great room with cathedral ceiling, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 3 car garage, formal dining, first floor laundry. $107,500. S1403.
$4,575.	Frohardt School District. Spacious home, 3 bedrooms with impressive master suite, 3 baths and huge family room. $91,500. S1371.
$2,850.	New listing. Spacious 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, huge recreation room, detached garage with apartment. $67,000. S1392.
$900.	New listing - won't last! Remodeled 3 bedroom home, full basement, large garage, fenced yard. $29,900. S1393.
$???	Mobile Home on lake front lot. Spacious 1994 Redmond, 2 bdrm., 2 baths, beautiful built-in kitchen with range, refrigerator, dishwasher, cathedral ceiling, large deck. $26,900. S1404.
$1,400.	Not A Drive By! Large family sized kitchen, family room, 3 bedrooms. Be one of the first to see.
$1,410.	New listing - Maryville School! 3 bedroom home, beautifully remodeled, many extras. $46,900. S1405.
$1,260.	Price Reduced. 5 room, 2 bedroom aluminmum sided home with basement, garage & fenced yard, new kitchen cabinets, new carpet, vinyl & newer furnace & central air. Only $41,900. S1401.
$1,100.	Excellent Value! 1½ story duplex or could be 4 bedroom, full basement, detached 2 car garage. $35,900. S1396.
$3,495.	Two doors from Wilson Park. Brick ranch, 3 bedrooms, 1½ baths, huge family room, attached garage. $79,900. S1395.
$2,750.	Cozy condo. Woodburning fireplace in living room, master bedroom with dressing area - full bath. $64,900. S1355.
$2,495.	Aluminum sided ranch. 3 bedrooms, large family room, big covered patio, large lot, quiet area. $59,900. S1376.
$3,150.	NEW LISTING - 3 bedroom, 1¾ bath brick ranch, full basement, family room, 2 car garage. $72,900. S1406.
$1,300.	A money maker - 3 family furnished apartment building with $900. gross rental income. $42,900. S1397.

$4000 GRANTS AVAILABLE FOR DOWN PAYMENTS AND CLOSING COSTS (CALL TODAY)

JOHN BLASINGAME.........876-4712	CAROLYN BLASINGAME.....876-4712
DEBBIE BRIMER........PGR 782-5324	RANDY BURTON............931-1148
MARIAN CAVINS............876-5170	MARIE CREEK ROCHE.......876-3335
CHERYL HAYDEL...........931-2843	DENISE JOHNSON..........876-8366
KAREN MENENDEZ.....PGR 782-4908	MARIE SZYMCEK...........877-4674
KIM TINSLEY..............797-6138	MONIKA ANDREWS.........931-5355

SHIRLEY RAPOFF - ADMINISTRATIVE ASS'T.

1220 AIR COND./HEATING

THERMALDYNE
RESIDENTIAL/COMMERCIAL AIR CONDITIONING, HEATING, REFRIGERATION, VENTILATION
618-452-4938

BECKER'S HEATING &COOLING
Licensed & Bonded
For all your residential heating and cooling needs.
CALL NOW
MIKE BECKER OWNER/OPERATOR
931-7520

1230 HOME IMPROVEMENT

GAS LOGS
• VENTLESS • INSTANT HEAT
• VENTED • CLEAN BURNING
• 99% EFFICIENT • WE INSTALL
GAS FIREPLACES
ORDER NOW
RM DISTRIBUTING CO.
877-3336

1230 HOME IMPROVEMENT

R W SIDING & WINDOW
We specialize in siding, windows, soffit & fascia, gutters and doors. We do all other Home Remodeling, too!
We use only
CertainTeed
windows and siding.
18 Years Experience
• FULLY INSURED
• FAMILY OWNED
• NO MIDDLE MAN
Check our prices before you buy!
345-4361

J.R. CONSTRUCTION
Kitchens • Baths • Decks
Windows • Siding • Room Additions
618-877-8732
618-931-5212

1230 HOME IMPROVEMENT

RELIABLE HOME REPAIR
No Job Too Small
Hourly Rates
876-7107

NUFACE HOME IMPROVEMENT/REPAIR, 20% Winter Discount on Interior Painting & Wallpaper. No Job Too Small. Also Carpentry, Plumbing, Electrical Repairs. Reasonable Rates. 877-7528.

HOME REPAIRS, remodeling, & new construction. 26yrs. experience. 346-6974.

K.R. CONTRACTING - All phases remodeling or repairs, roofing. Free Est. 876-7429

1265 LAWN & GARDEN SERVICE

BYRNES-Trim-Remove Trees, Bush Trimming-Removal. Gutters cleaned, Screen Installed. Leaves-Yard Cleanups, Haul Brush, Trash. House, Basement Cleanouts. Snow Shoveling. Odd Jobs. Very Reasonable, Many References. 17 Years. Free Estimates. Insured. 931-2141/876-7962. SENIOR DISCOUNT.

1285 MEDICAL SERVICES

C-PAT MACHINE MUST SELL, BEST OFFER 452-7560.

1320 MOVING & STORAGE

Ashby MOVING & STORAGE, INC.
LOCAL & LONG DISTANCE
Call for FREE Estimates
452-1717
Residential • Commercial • Industrial • Storage • Packing • Crating
1836 6th St., Madison, IL
CC MC 115368 IL CC #78539 MC-C
American RED BALL

ROLAND MOVING & STORAGE
Long distance boxes available free estimates, fully insured
877-2421

1400 PLASTERING

MUYLEART. New Homes, Old Walls replastered. Patching, Stucco & FREE ESTIMATES. Fairmont City, 874-3200.

1420 PLUMBING CONTRACTORS

SEMI RETIRED LICENSED PLUMBER 876-3068, 462-9301.

1460 REMODELING

B.M. Construction
Room Additions
Siding & Soffit
Garages, Decks
We'll beat any legitimate bid!
Free Estimates
345-3884

1480 ROOFING

Ultimate Roofing
New Roof's
Roof Repair
797-1653

1620 TREE SERVICE

AHLERS TREE SERVICE
• Hazardous Removals
• Stump/Brush Grinding
• Topping & Pruning
• Bucket Truck Services
• Free Firewood
• Back Hoe & Dozer Service
• Fully Insured • Free Estimates
10 Years Experience
346-1342

1650 UPHOLSTERY

UPHOLSTERY & REPAIR WORK. Large selection of materials, free estimate. Pickup/Delivery. Senior Citizen discounts. 344-1989 or 345-3956.

1685 WINDOWS/DOORS

HURD WINDOWS, Garage Doors, Lift Master Openers. Concrete Basement Form Rental. Reasonable. Call 618-538-7889/667-3993

1710 ANTIQUES

LOTS OF OLD BOOKS, ANTIQUES PICTURES & MISC FOR SALE PLEASE CALL 931-4133.

Dealer Day!
Sun. Feb 2, 12-4
Meet & Bargain
With Our Dealers
Maryville Antique Mall
2114 S. Center (Hwy. 159)
345-5533

1714 CRAFT FAIRS

CRAFT/FLEA MARKET, Bake Sale and Food. Collinsville Township Senior Center, 420 E. Main Street, Saturday, March 8, 10 AM. till 4 PM. $10 per table. Phone: 344-7787.

2355 GRANITE CITY & VICINITY

Flood Realty Centre • 931-2600

ARE YOU LOOKING TO INVEST? Look no further. This duplex possible triplex could be what you want. 2 units down, 1 up. Needs a handy man to help make this a home you can invest in and earn income. Call for more information.

OWNER SAYS SELL! Call on this neat ready to move into home that has formal dining room, 4 bedrooms plus floored attic. Newer furnace, air conditioning, wiring, decorating.

LOOKING FOR A QUICK SALE? Call on this 3 bedroom with basement, close to park, under $60,000.

MOBILE HOME on its own lot. 2 bedrooms, 1½ baths, 2 porches, attached carport, detached garage, fenced yard. Much new.

RETIREMENT PACKAGE! Good location on 2 bedroom apartments. Pay for themselves in 15 years.

3655 EDWARDSVILLE RD. Large home at edge of town, located on half acre just out of Edwardsville. Call to see!

CUTE & COZY, 2 bedroom cottage. Recently renovated with new wiring, furnace, central air, carpet and more. Budget priced $20,900. FHA-VA okay.

EASY LIVING! 3 bedroom, 2 bath condo. All outside maintenance including lawn/landscaping and snow removal included in annual fee. Just sit back, snuggle by the fireplace, and enjoy life. Let's look today.

ROD FLOOD · GAYE FLOOD · LYNN UMFLEET · SHARI KINDLE · JUDY HOFFSTOT · JIM WHITT · DONNA WHITT · MARY CHRISTOPHER · CANDEE STAICOFF

Real Estate Continued On Page 12B

J17548 - JUST LISTED! Bi-level home, 3 BR, 3 BA, FR, door leading from DR to large deck, finished garage, 26x7 front porch, patio, stoarge shed, large fenced backyard & more - call today!

J17546 - TRULY A FAMILY HOME! Ranch with acreage, 3 BR, 3 BA, fireplace, enclosed porch off of DR, 2-car finished garage, carport, inground pool with equip, fenced backyard, insulated bldg w/utilities, shed, landscaped & pond.

J17535 - LIVE IN YOUR INVESTMENT! 2 family home, separate utilities is close to everything and can be converted back to 1 family home. Low $60's.

J17444 - SELLER ACCEPTING OFFERS on immaculate 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home with 1st floor utility, finished basement, deck and 2-car garge. Mid $80's.

J17508 - NEW, QUALITY & COMFORTABLE! 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch on 3/4 acre lot, kitchen with appliances, 1st floor laundry, full basement and 3-car finished garage. Agent owned.

J17350 - NICE DOUBLE-WIDE MOBILE HOME ON OWN LOT has 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, corner fireplace & central air. Only 4½ yrs. old.

17344 - RETAIL OR LIGHT MANUFACUTRING, 3600 sq.ft. building on large lot with plenty off-street parking and city utilities.

17346 - REDUCED PRICE on newer 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch located on 10 wooded acres, full basement, deck and 2-car garge. Priced at $113,700. ***Motivated Seller***

J17321 - REDUCED $10,000*** 3 unit apartment bldg with full basement, low maintenance, great condition, live in one and rent the others. Owner wants to sell!

HOLZINGER REAL ESTATE AGENCY INC.
CALL TROY, IL 667-9993
1-800-667-9904

ABRAMS REALTY-1
SERVICE ACROSS AMERICA

RALPH ABRAMS, Broker · GEORGE CREWS, Broker/Associate

3010 Nameoki Rd. • Granite City, IL 62040 • 877-1900

55 YEARS OF LOCAL EXPERIENCE
DO YOU HAVE SELLING QUESTIONS?

1. How long will it take to get my home sold?
2. Should I have an open house?
3. What will my selling expenses be?
4. Would a local experienced co. be my best choice?

Call Today For The Right Answer!

ANOTHER NEW LISTING! Huge 3 bdrm. home with 2 car garage, full basement, partially finished, priced under $30,000. Call today! Won't last long!

JUST LISTED: 3 bedroom ranch. Garage, fireplace and huge back yard. Priced under $50,000.

—CAREER OPPORTUNITY—
WE PROVIDE SALES TRAINING!
AND MOTIVATIONAL SUPPORT. CLASSES STARTING IN JANUARY. CALL TODAY!
877-1900

Landmark Realty, Inc.

3226 Nameoki Road, Granite City, Il 62040, 876-7510 • 800-515-8401
3049 Godfrey Road, Godfrey, Il 62035, 466-1513
1324 Troy Road, Edwardsville, Il 62025, 656-9011 • 800-882-3934
58 Airport Plaza, Bethalto, Il 62010, 377-2112

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY · REALTOR®

MONDAY - FRIDAY 9AM-6PM • SATURDAY 9-4

MEET OUR AGENTS

Janet Partney 782-5140 · Evelyn Spickett 738-1848 · Neva Lucas 782-2988 · Bob Simon 782-1818 · Rose Stern 797-2777 · Lucinda Schmidt 583-6398 · Bernie Maxfield 738-0786 · Helen Ramos 876-3006 · Arlene Watkins 876-7610 · Connie Morris 782-3412 · Jo Ann Mathenia 451-7121 · J. Jane McCord 738-0558 · Gayle Clark 738-0691 · Betsy Talcott 452-0338 · John Parker 738-0897

RESIDENTIAL

Mechanic's dream - Large newer built garage with automatic doors, water and phone lines. Lovely 3 bedroom home has c/a and fenced yard. Call for more details. $36,900. LG 901.

Fixer-upper. Large eleven room home with 2 lots. Low taxes, priced right. LG 832.

Not a drive-by: Neat, clean, nicely decorated 2 story, 5 bedroom home. Formal dining room - lots of storage, fenced lot. LG 746.

Investors: 2 bedroom home with eat-in kitchen on 2 lots. Priced to sell at only $6,000. LG 710.

Affordable 3 bedroom home with basement and garage. Needs fixin. Priced under $20,000. LG 445.

If you need a lot of room, this is the home for you! This home has a wonderful, workable kitchen, butcher block countertops, newer oak cabinets. Very ample living room & dining room combination, and 4 enormous bedrooms with plenty of closet space. LG 259.

New Construction! Maryville location! Approx. 1900+ sq. ft., 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, full basement, large kitchen. Ready-to-move-into. $147,500. LG 7.

Tastefully decorated throughout! This lovely home features a comfortable eat-in kitchen with ample cabinets. There is a first floor laundry and lots of closets and storage. For additional comfort there is a garage plus a carport. You must see. LG 33.

Very Nice 2 bedroom brick with fenced rear yard. This charming home has a carport and a full basement with family room and possibly 3rd bedroom. Reasonably priced at $43,900. LG 36.

Good potential - fixer-upper - five room home. Good investment for someone. $20,000. LG 229.

Beautiful 2 story home with approx. 2,450 sq. ft. of living space. 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, family room with woodburning fireplace. Master bath has Jacuzzi. This beautiful home is nicely landscaped. LG 970.

Lovely home with nice size rooms. Charming dining room. Floored attic. Big front porch. Covered patio. Fenced yard. A bargain at $18,000. LG 954.

Reduced: Owner says sell and reduces price to $27,900 to prove it. Huge eat-in kitchen. 3 bedrooms, c/a and fenced yard. Priced in 20's. LG 902.

Small house - small price. Big yard. 5 room fixer-upper with fireplace, leaded glass windows. Priced in 20's. LG 213.

Motivated seller! 3 bedroom, eat-in kitchen, full basement, fenced rear yard, 1 car garage. Nice home. $44,500. LG 71.

Open Floor Plan, Lovely wood cabinets and a dining room. The master bedroom has ¾ bath. This sets on a lake front lot and has a large wood deck. Move-in condition. Call today. LG 38.

Brick 1½ Story Home. This Seven room home has 3 bedrooms and full basement with family room and 4th bedroom. 2 car garage. Priced under $50,000. LG 57.

Mitchell Area. Approx. 1720 sq. ft., 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch on large lot. Extra large heated garage. Call today for your private showing. LG 60.

NEW LISTINGS

Well Maintained home with 2 car detached garage, full basement, above ground pool, large closed in back porch. Priced under $50,000. LG 820.

Do you like quiet evenings by a roaring fire? Then check out this house. All new carpet and paint in this 2 possibly 3 bedroom bungalow with fenced backyard, off street parking and central air. This one will go quick, call today! Priced in the mid $30's. LG 921.

Neat Move-In-Condition, this lovely 3 bedroom home has newer carpeting, attached garge, above ground pool, fenced back yard. All for under $50,000. LG 838.

Ornate moldings and a fireplace greet you upon entering this 2 story home. A formal dining room, 3 huge bedrooms, 1½ baths and a sunroom are just a few of the many assets in this home. Come see for yourself- why some people believe you only get better when you get older! A lot of house for $49,900. Call today for your showing! LG 916

Charming Remodeled home with finished basement. This 2 bedroom bungalow has newer window & siding. Garage, too. Priced in the low $40's. LG 509.

New Listing: Extra nice 2 bedroom cottage with a large 11x22 kitchen. There is lots of room for storage in the roomy attic. For even more space there is a full basement, too. Only $29,900. LG 534.

LOTS AND ACREAGE

Privacy plus convenience - 3+ acres of rolling wooded building site. Room for 1-3 homes. Won't last so call right away. LG 11.

Development property - 16.15 acres zoned R-4. All utilities available. Over 600 feet lake frontage. LG 40.

Approx. 2.47 acres - zoned B-2. Prime commercial with over 300 ft. frontage on Hwy. 111. LG 43.

Commercial acreage available. 453 feet frontage on Hwy. 111 (10.52 acres total available). LG 50.

Choice residential lots still available in prestigious growing subdivision in city limits. LG 280.

3 lots being sold as one parcel. Residential. All for only $15,000. LG 566.

Approx. 1.47 acres - zoned B-2 - commercial building lot - located in fast growing area. Near interstate. LG 67.

Ready to build! 3.5 acres - commercial - zoned B-2. Excellent motel site. ½ mile south of I-270, next to the new Denny's (under construction). LG 73.

Large residential lot in Arlington. Lovely subdivision with lake and golf course. LG 502.

Build the home of your dreams! Large residential lot in Whispering Hills Estates. All utilities available. Restrictions and plat available. Only $29,500. LG 2.

RESIDENTIAL MULTI-FAMILY CONDO MOBILE HOMES

Good condition and great cash flow. 23 unit apartment building. On-site laundry - additional ground for more units. LG 5

Condo - Ground floor, 2 bedrooms with large comfortable rooms. Tastefully decorated. Garage. Ready to move into. LG 41

Mobile Home - very clean & neat. Huge deck. Excellent condition. Must See. Only $8,500. LG 265

COMMERCIAL

Good commercial investment with over 3500 sq. ft. This package includes store building and four apartments. A real steal at only $40,000. LG 210.

If you're looking for a business of your own - here is an established drive-in sandwich and ice cream business. Located in high traffic area. LG543

Investors Delight - 5 pad Trailer Pad. (Pads for rental) Possible owner financing. Good Income potential. A great investment for only $28,900. LG 46

EDWARDSVILLE/ GLEN CARBON AREA

R3328..STONEBROOKE: Ranch home on wooded lot features 3 BRs, large kitchen/ breakfast area; formal DR/ 1st floor laundry, 9' walls in walk-out & priced at $145,900. Call Don Whitehead at 288-5578 or page 338-9645.

R3384..COUNTRY CLUB MANOR: Elegant is a word that accurately describes this 2 story w/3 BRs, 3 baths, formal LR & DR; loft overlooking LR, ultra kitchen & more. Call Shirley Smith 341-2456 for all details. $189,900.

R3417..OAKLAWN ESTATES: New home, new subdivision offering only 47 homesites. This home features walk-out basement w/rough-in for additional bath; 4 BRs, 3 baths, large deck plus patio & priced at $174,900. Call Don Whitehead 288-5578.

R3247..LINCOLN KNOLLS: Everything in one home. Finished LL w/walk out to patio; already landscaped; 3 car garage; 5 BRs, 4 baths; 1st floor laundry & much more. Call Don Whitehead at 288-5578 or page 338-9645. $224,500.

R3448..TIMBERLAKE: Luxury 2 story w/4 BRs, 3 baths, formal LR & DR; open entry foyer; 1st floor laundry, new privacy fence & more. Beautifully decorated & landscaped. Call Betty Treat at 377-3032 or page 338-3745. $229,900.

R3432..KINGSBROOKE: Newly constructed 2 story w/over 2500 sq. ft. of living space. 4 BRs, 3 baths, formal LR & DR; open floor plan for kitchen, breakfast room & FR; walk-out & more. Call Don Whitehead at 288-5578 or page 338-9645. $194,900.

GRANITE CITY AREA

R3438..PRICE JUST REDUCED on this well maintained 5 BR brick home w/full bath on each floor; covered rear patio; huge LL family room & home warranty. Call Sandy Lane, 692-4419 or page 320-5189. NOW $105,000.

L3215..LEGACY SUBD: Beautiful homesites, some suitable for walk-out basement, some cul-de-sac lots available. Lots starting at $16,900, homes from the low $100's. Call Joann Demetrullas at 656-7029.

The Legacy GOLF COURSE

Century 21 BAILEY & CO.
877-7653
2126 Pontoon Rd.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION - 2 BR home, full bsmt, 2 car det garage & fenced rear yard. C2111.

NEW LISTING - aluminum sided home w/carport plus 2 car det garage. 2 add'l rooms plus shower in full bsmt. C2180.

NEW LISTING - NICE STARTER HOME - 1½ Story w/LR, DR, Kit & Master BR on main level, 2 BR's up & full bsmt. C2179.

ROOMY 3 BR BRICK on lg lot. Stone fireplace in living room, formal dining room, family room & 1½ baths. Newer furnace & windows. C2169.

COMMERCIAL BLDG PLUS APTS - 2 Commercial units w/approx 4000 s.f., asphalt parking & driveway - also available for rent - great for doctors or attorney's office. Call for details. C2114.

3 BEDROOM HOME - eat in kitchen w/nice wood cabinets, french doors, w/b fireplace in family room, add'l room in bsmt, 2 car garage - all wrapped in aluminum siding. C2173.

GREAT BUY - newly remodeled home on corner lot w/fenced rear yard, updated kitchen, vinyl siding & newer roof. C2133.

WELL KEPT 3 BR HOME on large corner lot - 24x14 family room & fenced rear yard. C2112.

EXCELLENT BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY - Mini Strip Mall - 5 commercial spaces - high traffic area - Chain of Rocks Rd - blacktop parking - 6888 sq.ft. Call our office for details. C2152.

BEAUTIFUL 1 YEAR OLD HOME - Close to Wilson Park. 3 Large BR's, 2 car garage. C2175.

GREAT BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY - Established greenhouse business - includes all fixtures, supplies and equipment. C2120.

Each Office Independently Owned And Operated. EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY.
OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

CVM Realty
COMPUTERIZED VISUAL MARKETING
1735 PONTOON RD. 931-2711

PERFECT BEGINNING! - Dining room, 3rd BR in basement, newer furnace & C/A, fenced yard. **M261.**
A TOUCH OF CLASS! - Gorgeous 3 BR - fireplace, breakfast bar, formal dining, circle drive. **GR372.**
THE PRICE IS RIGHT! - 3 BR home with attached garage, needs some finishing. **GR015.**
YOU CAN BANK ON IT! - Buy or lease this 2 story office building. **GR266**

EXQUISITE 1½ story 4 BR home - 2 baths, fireplace, garage. **GR009**
TAP THE POTENTIAL! - Buy a package of 8 properties or purchase separately. Call for details and locations. **M269.**
NEWLY LISTED - All brick, 3 BR, eat-in kitchen, full basement, corner lot - $80's. **GR214**
FORE! - Walk out onto golf course from this newly constructed 3BR ranch overlooking the Legacy. **GR327**

JUST MOVE IN! - Large family room with bay window, home warranty. Priced in $50's. **GR310**

AN AMAZING VALUE! - Low maintenance home - det. garage - $20's. **GR296**
LOOKING FOR EXTRA INCOME? - 5 apartment, all brick building - great income producer - $30's. **GR363**
JUST MOVE IN! Nicely decorated home across from elementary school - eat-in kitchen, dishwasher, aluminum siding, full basement. $30's. **M268.**

VICTORIAN 2 STORY DOLL HOUSE! - 3 BR, updated kitchen, full basement, huge lot, deck - $60's. **C110**
SPACIOUS LIVING - 3 BR mobile home on lakefront lot in well maintained park. **P086**
GOURMET KITCHEN in this 3 BR home, full basement, fenced yard, deck, above ground pool - $40's. **P332**
NEWLY LISTED - Well maintained 3 BR, 2 sheds, home warranty. **GR257**
NEWLY LISTED - 2 houses on one lot - Very neat and clean front house on corner lot - Apartment over 2 car detached garage. **GR111.**

FRESH ON MARKET! - Brick home with basement, garage, home warranty - $30's. **GR334**
FIXER-UPPER - 4 BRs, floored attic, pocket doors - rare opportunity for $26,000. **GR333**
NEWLY LISTED - Charming 3 BR, 2 baths, family room w/fireplace, screened patio, across from park. **GR383**
SERIOUS SELLER - BRICK BARGAIN - 4 rooms, full basement. **M172**

Looking in the **EDWARDSVILLE/ GLEN CARBON** areas? **CALL US.**
We can help you find your dream home wherever it might be!

JEANETTE HOLDER 931-2711 · ALLIE BEARD 288-9265 · JAN BONE 931-8324 · CATHY BUSCH 877-6425 · D.L. COPPEDGE 876-6419 · PAT EVANS 876-5505 · KRISTI GLASGOW 782-3547 · MARY SUE HARPER 738-1890 · BARB WYATT-YUST 738-2000 · VICKY WALTON 782-2016 · JERRY STUBBLEFIELD 782-8926 · DEBBIE SANDER 782-7957 · DARREL RUTLEDGE 877-0176 · LYNN RIEGER 451-0011 · JUDINE LUX 876-0488 · CHRIS MILLER 451-7474